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Students across the borough collect their GCSE results



Two George Green's School students are all smiles after collecting their GCSE results last Thursday

BY SHALINA HUSSAIN

THERE was a collective sigh of relief as students got their hands on their long-awaited GCSE results.

This is the first year of results following the switch to non-modular courses, which have a greater emphasis on exams at the end of two years, rather than coursework.

George Green's School on the Isle of Dogs reported strong performances in English, history,

humanities, ICT and further maths.

At Langdon Park School in Poplar results showed an improvement, while Swanlea in Whitechapel reported "excellent" achievement.

Mayor Lutfur Rahman said: "I would like to congratulate each and every student on their success and look forward to seeing them going into further education or starting their working careers."

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New beginning

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Hard work from all concerned

“The solid performances are down to the exceptional hard work of students, teachers, support staff and parents, as well as many factors behind the scenes that help build excellence.”

CLLR GULAM ROBBANI

GCSE results

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BY SHALINA HUSSAIN

GEORGE Green's head teacher Jill Baker has just completed her first year in charge and is pleased with the direction the school is heading in.

“I am very proud of all of our students who have worked hard and got some excellent results,” she said.

“The pupils are hardworking, positive and ambitious.”

Mrs Baker added that the school was benefiting from its links with businesses, including Barclays as well as those with Queen Mary University of London.

Noshin Alom, 16, chalked up four A* grades, eight As and one B and has her sights on becoming a neurologist, following in the family tradition of studying medicine.

Noshin said: “The results are what I was hoping for and my favourite subjects were maths and biology.”

“I am doing work experience with St John Ambulance soon, which I am really looking forward to, and then will be going to City & Islington College to do A Levels.”

Samiha Laskar, 16, was thrilled with her two A*s, ten As and one B, and was off to celebrate her results with a family meal.

Another budding medic, Samiha will be taking A Levels in maths, chemistry biology and psychology.

Daiana Stanciu surpassed her own expectations – scoring three A*s, six As and two Bs.

“It's been tough but the hard work has paid off,” she said.

“I would like to thank my family, who encouraged me, and gave me the time and quiet to revise.”



Daiana Stanciu and Noshin Alom with head teacher Jill Baker and Cllr Gulam Robbani

‘I am very proud of all our students’



A student collects his results



Richie Akbar (right) with his family

Cabinet member for children's services Cllr Gulam Robbani said: “The solid performances are the result of a very long journey of investment in education in Tower Hamlets.

“It's down to the exceptional hard work of students, teachers, support staff and parents,

but there are also many factors behind the scenes that help build excellence year after year.”

He said targeting literacy from a young age and improving children's health through free school meals all contributed to their success.

He added: “The support

networks we offer parents and children, the extra-curricular courses we have made available, the wonderful new school buildings – all these initiatives, and many more, give our children the best possible opportunity to achieve great things, and they have responded wonderfully.”

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Outstanding accomplishments

"Swanlea students have again demonstrated why, in its recent inspection by OFSTED, Swanlea was judged an outstanding school. I congratulate them all in their accomplishments."

HEAD TEACHER BRENDA LANDERS (PICTURED)

Sixth form growing

"Many students have done extremely well and are now swelling the ranks of our sixth form."

RICHARD FITZGERALD, HEAD TEACHER LANGDON PARK

GCSE results

Langdon Park celebrates as results buck national trend

BY JESSICA ODUBAYO

LANGDON Park School in Poplar was celebrating last Thursday early indications that this year's results may have improved on last year's by up to five per cent.

Head teacher Richard Fitzgerald, who has been at the school for a year, said he was pleased to see the students rewarded for all their efforts.

"Although this year we are told most schools in the country are reporting a significant drop in results – we are not," he said.

"Our results have in fact gone up. This includes many students who have done

extremely well and are now swelling the ranks of our sixth form.

"I am now very much looking forward to our next year when we

Casey-Leigh Sparks



Two friends are happy with their results

know we are going to do even better." Mustakim Mohammed, who achieved six A*s and four A grades, said: "I'm ecstatic. I worked hard and the teachers really helped me a lot."

Fahim Ahmed gained one A* and nine As. He said he worked really hard

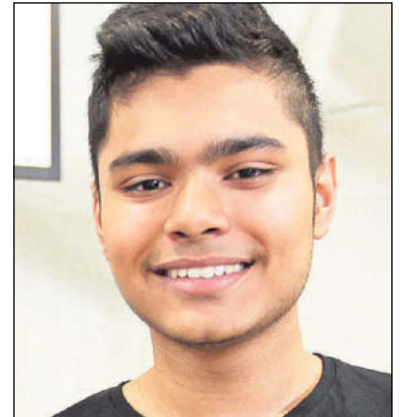
but was a little disappointed with the B in further maths.

Casey-Leigh Sparks, who achieved Bs and Cs in eight subjects, said she planned to stay at the school to take A Levels in psychology, English, dance and biology.

Other achievers included Farzana Akther, who gained two A*s, six As and three Bs; Anisa Haque who secured one A*, four As, three Bs and two Cs; Sharifa Rahman who gained two A*s, six As and four Bs; and Shabnaz Rahman who achieved four A*s and eight As.



Anisa Haque



Mohammed Mustakim



Fahim Ahmed

I'm really pleased... the teachers here are great'

STUDENTS at Swanlea School in Whitechapel achieved excellent results with 60 per cent gaining five A*-C grades, including English and maths, and 71 per cent of students gaining five A*-Cs.

Head teacher Brenda Landers said: "Swanlea students have demonstrated their outstanding progress, excellent achievement and total dedication to their future; I am so proud of them."



"I know that their hard work and commitment will continue to serve them well throughout their future."

Ziming Zhu, pictured, (five

A*s and six As) said: "The teachers here are great. They all do their best to help students achieve the maximum."

Roda Abokor, who gained six A*s, three As and two Bs, said: "I am really happy and very relieved. I could not have done this without the support of my teachers and my family."

Rifah Anjum (seven A*s and four As) said: "I'm really pleased. It has been a lot of hard work but it was worth it."



Rebecca Lambert Neu (2A*s, 6As, 3Bs) and Irman Hoque (1A*, 2As, 6Bs)

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News

Marathon fundraiser in memory of sister Brenda

BY JESSICA ODUBAYO

JUST a year after her sister's sudden death, an Isle of Dogs woman is planning a demanding endurance challenge to help raise money to tackle the disease which killed her sibling.

Brenda Modest died in June last year, just five weeks after being diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

And now her younger sister Serina Julien is taking part in the 100km Thames Path Challenge, described as an ultra-marathon along the Thames Path National Trail from London to Gloucestershire.

Serina, 37, told East End Life: "Brenda was born and raised in Tower Hamlets, she went to Langdon Park School and she lived in Bow for most of her adult life."

Although her older sister was quiet by nature, Serina said she was very active and well-known in the community, and was loved by dearly by her family and friends.

"Brenda held a number of jobs, but her greatest love was when she worked as a nursery nurse at Virginia Primary School in Bethnal Green. She also did a lot of voluntary work with the Bromley by Bow Community Centre," added Serina.

She said pancreatic cancer, which is the fifth most common cause of cancer death in the UK,



Serina, right, with her late sister Brenda

“By the time someone goes to the doctor's and is diagnosed, the disease is usually quite advanced.”

Serina Julien

does not show any significant signs or symptoms in the early stages.

"It has a poor prognosis –

like in my sister's case. "By the time someone goes to the doctor's and is diagnosed, the disease is usually quite advanced," Serina said.

The mother-of-two has recently returned to work, but trains around her young family and aims to raise more than £1,000 towards research into the disease.

"My preparation includes circuit training and I can be seen running around the E14 area," she said.

Serina is taking part in the Thames Path Challenge on Saturday, September 13.

To support her or to donate to Pancreatic Cancer UK, visit www.justgiving.com/Serina-Julien

Probe launched after fire damages flats

THE first floor lobby of a block of flats in Poplar was damaged by fire last Tuesday, August 19.

Four engines and around 20 firefighters from Poplar, Bethnal Green, Whitechapel and Millwall fire stations attended the blaze in Coldharbour as residents were instructed to remain in their flats to avoid smoke inhalation.

A London Fire Brigade spokesman said emergency procedures were different if you live in a flat as opposed to being in a house.

"Flats and maisonettes are built to give you

some protection from fire – a minimum of 30 minutes and up to 60," he said.

"Walls, floors and doors will hold back flames and smoke for a time. If there is a fire elsewhere in the building, but not inside your home you're usually safer staying in your flat unless heat or smoke is affecting you.

"If you leave your flat you could be rushing into choking smoke, the fire itself or firefighters using equipment to bring the fire under control in another part of the building."

The cause of Tuesday's fire is being investigated.

News in brief

Professor Cox visit

SCIENCE broadcaster and presenter Professor Brian Cox will deliver a talk at a fundraiser on Wednesday, August 27.

Canary Wharf Group is to host an evening with the professor to help raise funds for St Paul's Way Trust School in Bow, which operates science summer schools and works to make a career in science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM) a reality for young people from all walks of life.

Prof Cox's talk is entitled: Everything you wanted to know about science but were afraid to ask. The evening starts at 6pm.

For tickets, visit <http://tinyurl.com/m5qxh4x>

Fraud charges

TWO teenagers from Spitalfields have been charged and another released on bail, after

a police investigation into courier fraud in the south west of England.

Rahim Choudhrey and Abdul Shafee, both aged 18, of Quaker Street, E1, were charged with conspiracy to defraud their victims out of a total of £168,600.

They appeared at Bristol Magistrates Court last Wednesday, August 19.

Mr Choudhrey faces ten charges, concerning sums ranging from £1,000 to £42,600, while Mr Shafee faces five, over sums of between £10,000 and £20,000.

Market With Bite

CHRISP Street in Poplar is set to host the return of global street food festival BITE on Friday, August 29.

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News

Sign of the future

ONCE again young people in the borough achieved excellent results in their A Level and GCSE exams.

Earlier this year we had the good news that Tower Hamlets is in the top ten boroughs nationally for the proportion of its students who go to university.

Our hard working and brilliant students continue to do the borough proud. They have put us on the map for educational achievement.

I officially opened a wonderful 'pocket park' in Bethnal Green on Friday. This project has turned a local eyesore that suffered from fly-tipping and anti-social behaviour into a community treasure. Great partnership working between the council, the community and the Greater London Authority has paid off for the benefit of all.

It is good news that the joint police and council initiative, the Partnership Task Force, has seized drugs worth thousands of pounds over the last month. We remain tireless in our drive to stamp out the blight of drug dealing in our neighbourhoods.

A delegation from Swedish council Lundby were guests of the borough recently, keen to learn about our successes on



LUTFUR RAHMAN MAYOR OF TOWER HAMLETS

issues such as housing and development. They came to Tower Hamlets because we are a fast-growing borough just like Lundby is in Gothenburg.

Delegates were interested in services for young people and the role of the Young Mayor.

We were delighted to share good practice, especially to showcase our excellent Young Mayor team, who helped host the delegation.

Finally, do you or your family want to get fit or enjoy fun activities during the summer holidays while there's still time? Don't forget your council has organised a great series of free events.

Whether you want to play tennis, hockey or football or take part in BMX biking and skateboarding, there is plenty on offer.



A leading example

"We have heard a great deal about the borough's work with young people such as the Young Mayor scheme, and that is something we wish to learn more about."

SARA THORNADTSSON CHAVARRIA, LUNDBY COUNCIL



Members of the Youth Opportunities Fund and Youth Council spoke about the skills they have learnt

Lessons can be learnt

BY SHALINA HUSSAIN

OFFICIALS from a Swedish council visited Tower Hamlets to find out how services are run in the borough.

A group of 18 people from Lundby district in the city of Gothenburg, met with Mayor Lutfur Rahman and members of the borough's Youth Council on August 14.

The delegation was given presentations on a range of services including arts and culture provision, housing and regeneration, and youth services.

The visitors also spoke about how services are delivered in Lundby and how both councils



Deputy Young Mayor Tanvir Raza

can learn from each other.

Mayor Rahman, who was given an official guide to Gothenburg, said: "It is always fascinating to hear about how peers deliver and build

their services around the needs of their residents.

Tower Hamlets and Lundby share a lot of similarities and this was a good opportunity for us to extend our hand of friendship and promote good practice."

The delegation hoped to gain new perspectives on how to be socially sustainable and provide citizens with equal opportunities.

The district of Lundby is one of the fastest growing urban areas of Sweden and Sara Thornadtsen Chavarria said the council was interested in seeing how a district can develop and expand without excluding its existing population.

"We have also heard a great deal about the borough's work

with youths, such as the Young Mayor, and that is something we wish to learn more about as well as other programmes which aim to involve the community," she said.

Deputy Young Mayor Tanvir Raza talked about his experiences since being elected and projects he has been involved in during his two years, while members from the Youth Opportunities Fund and Youth Council spoke about the skills they have learnt and why they got involved.

The delegation also visited the A Team Arts Fashion Academy project at the Brady Arts Centre, Whitechapel and the Urban Adventure Base and Skate Park in Mile End Park.

River crossing consultation

RESIDENTS are reminded to take part in a consultation about proposed new crossings over or under the River Thames which is due to end next month.

Transport for London has come up with three different proposals: a new ferry service or bridge at Gallions Reach in Newham, a new ferry at

Woolwich or a bridge at Belvedere, Kent.

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Jabarul & Ruhela Amin & Khan family



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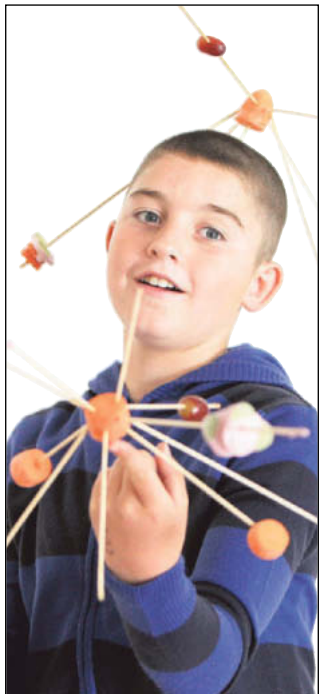
Swap shop bargains

Clear out items you no longer want and find bits and pieces you need at a swap shop event in Bow this weekend.

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News

Patients find it can be fun on the ward



Regan shows how to balance a mobile object

YOUNG patients at the Royal London Hospital in Whitechapel saw their wards transformed into a fun-filled laboratory for the day.

There were giant bubbles, rubber band cannon battles, singing wine glass orchestras, and balloon car races, as part of an event to bring scientific concepts to life.

Science charity the Royal Institution of Great Britain (Ri) hosted the event on August 12, and provided an entertaining day of hands-on science workshops for young patients, their families and staff.

Activities took place in the hospital's play area, the roof garden and at the bedsides of those young patients who were unable to leave their ward.



Olympia blows bubbles for seven month old Bobby watched by dad Harry

News in brief

Cut-price fitness

COMMUNITY organisation St Margaret's House in Bethnal Green has launched a new low-cost fitness, yoga and dance class enterprise.

East London Community Wellbeing runs yoga, Pilates, swing dance and tai chi classes and plans to hold morning, lunchtime, evening and weekend classes.

For more information visit eastlondoncommunitywellbeing.com

Free health event

PEOPLE aged 16-25 are invited to a free health and wellbeing event this Friday, August 29 at Idea Store Whitechapel, 321 Whitechapel Road, E1 from 11am-5pm. It will feature food, beauty stalls and performance arts.

Call 8983 6119 or 7517 0660.

Can you meet a 2015 challenge?

BY RAJU MIAH

TEENAGERS aged 14-17 who live, work or study in Tower Hamlets and want to represent the voice of young people can register now to stand in next year's Young Mayor elections.

The two-year post requires a committed, lively and outgoing person who is prepared to volunteer their time to tackle a range of issues affecting young people.

With the support of two deputies, the Young Mayor leads on a number of projects such as the Youth Council and the Youth Opportunity Fund.

They will also represent Tower Hamlets both regionally and nationally through the UK Youth Parliament.

Mahdi Alam, the current Young Mayor, said: "The role is challenging but at the same time extremely rewarding.



Young Mayor Mahdi Alam

"During my term in office I have been working closely with my team to represent the views of young people across the borough and deliver on our priorities.

"We have also been working closely with key decision makers to ensure the views of young people remain a priority."

Mayor Lutfur Rahman, said: "The Young Mayor's scheme is a fantastic example of an

initiative which provides a platform for young people to express any concerns or difficulties they face – allowing us to shape the services we offer."

Interested young people have until Friday, October 3 to complete the nomination process which involves submitting a short statement, setting out their manifesto and being nominated by ten young people who will form their election support team.

The council and the Young Mayor's team have developed a vigorous training scheme to prepare the candidates and give them a taste of what the roles involve.

All candidates must attend the training in order to stand for the elections in January.

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Useful information

Educating new digital leaders

News from the council's education, social care and wellbeing directorate

AS the world continues to move towards the digital revolution, services need to evolve or risk being left behind.

This applies to all sectors including education where teachers in the borough are being encouraged to share their experiences of implementing digital media in their work.

The council hopes to inspire a generation of digital leaders and in June teachers from 30 Tower Hamlets schools took part in the Summer Digital Leaders event at Canary Wharf.

The event was hosted by Level39, a company that provides office space to meet the growing demand from new and expanding technology companies, based on the 39th floor of the One Canada Square building.

It is hoped these collaborative events will help establish better links between schools in the borough and Canary Wharf's expanding number of digital media businesses.

The event offered teachers an opportunity to experience first hand the latest innovative teaching approaches from successful companies in the borough and beyond.

Teachers were able to see how a business such as Level 39 supports new digital media companies and to better understand the environment pupils could be working in when they leave school.

The events are designed for teachers to help prepare students for those types of working environments.

During the session, Manorfield Primary School spoke of their new computing hardware project, and how they are sharing advice with other schools in the borough planning to do similar things. George Green's

School discussed their journey so far in implementing the new computing curriculum.

Those in attendance also took part in a hands-on education workshop, delivered by a new start-up called Technology Will Save Us – a company which offers schools digital educational resources.

Director of Apps for Good, Debbie Forster, invited schools to become involved in exciting enterprise projects – the company produces apps designed to help educate students.

An Autumn Digital Leaders event is planned for November. To book your free place email schoolsservicedesk@towerhamlets.gov.uk



WITH the new term round the corner, young people can get excited about the Young Mayor elections which will be kicking off in November and are a chance for students to play an active role in democracy.

The Young Mayor of Tower Hamlets represents 11- to 18-year-olds and is elected every two years by young people who live, work or study in the borough.

Over the past few years, the Young Mayor elections have gained enormous momentum in engaging young people with local democracy and the world of politics in Tower Hamlets.

The Young Mayor serves for a period of two years with a small team of deputies, all of whom are overseen and supported by the council's Integrated Youth & Community Services.

Nominations for the 2015 Young Mayor elections are now open and will close on Friday, October 3.

■ Full details on page 7

Chemist rota

Pharmacists in Tower Hamlets with extended opening hours.

E1

ABC Drug Stores, 12-14 Montague Street: Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat 9am-5.30pm, Sun 10am-2.30pm.
Beck & Sherman, 197 Whitechapel Road: Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat 9am-5.30pm, bank holidays 11am-1pm.
Sainsbury's, The Albion Brewery: Mon-Fri 8.30am-10pm, Sat 7.30am-10pm, Sun 11am-5pm.

Chapel, 139 Cannon Street: Mon-Fri 9am-8pm, Sat 9am-6pm.

E2

Fairdale, 360 Bethnal Green Road: Mon, Tues, Weds, Fri 9am-6.30pm, Thurs 9am-1pm, Sat 9am-6pm, bank holidays 11am-2pm.
Florida, 307 Bethnal Green Road: Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat 9am-6pm, bank holidays 11am-2pm.

E3

Bell, 534 Roman Road: Mon-Sat 7am-11pm, Sun 10am-2pm.
Forward, 648 Mile End Road:

Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat 9am-6pm, Sun and bank holidays 10am-6pm.

Green Light, St Andrew's Health Centre, 2 Hannaford Walk: 8am-8pm, seven days a week, including bank holidays.
Lincoln, 60 St Paul's Way: Mon, Tues, Weds 8am-8pm, Thurs, Fri, 8am-8pm, Sat 9am-5pm.
Tesco, Hancock Road: Mon 8am-10.30pm, Tues-Fri 6.30am-10.30pm, Sat 6.30am-10pm, Sun 11am-4pm.

E14

Boots, Unit 15, Jubilee Place: Mon-Fri 7am-midnight, Sat

9am-6pm, Sun 12pm-6pm.
Britannia (Perimart), Asda Precinct, East Ferry Road: Mon-Sat 9am-8pm, Sun 11am-4pm, bank holidays 11am-6pm.

Doctors

Please ring your doctor's surgery for an appointment, but if it's the weekend or late at night, call 7377 7151 (only for people in Tower Hamlets who are registered with a doctor). To find a doctor, dentist or help to quit smoking call the health hotline on 7364 5016, Mon-Fri 8am-8pm and Sat 8am-4pm.

Advice

East London Parkinson's Support Group

For people with Parkinson's disease and their carers. Meets third Weds each month, 11am-12pm at John Scurr Community Centre, 1A Bekesbourne St, E14. 0844 225 3704/0808 800 0303

Family Information Service (FIS)

The Family Information Service provides information for people from birth to age 19 including helping parents find childcare, advice on tax credits and childcare vouchers. Open Mon-Fri, 8am-6pm. 30 Greatorex Street, E1. fis@towerhamlets.gov.uk 7364 6495

Alzheimer's Society Tower Hamlets

Advice and help for carers and people with dementia. Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm. Robinson Centre, Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, E1. 8121 5626

Tower Hamlets Advocacy Project

Independent advocates for adults with learning disabilities. Mon-Fri, 9.30am-4.30pm. Gladstone Place, 1 Ewart Place, E3. 7364 2550/2199

Parents Advice Centre (PAC)

Offers advice around special educational needs (SEN). 30 Greatorex Street, E1. Drop-in sessions every Tues, 9.30am-3.30pm & Fri, 9.30am-1pm. 364 6489

LinkAge Plus

An initiative of the Department for Work and Pensions. Toynbee Hall is one of five centres that coordinates services and activities provided. Mon-Fri from 9am-5pm, drop-in session for advice on benefits, pensions, employment and housing. Appointments necessary. Mon 9am-5pm, Bangladeshi group. Toynbee Hall, Commercial Street, E1. 7392 2914 www.toynbeehall.org.uk

Free Advice

Benefits, housing, immigration.

Bengali speakers, home visits to house-bound. Weds, 10.30am-12.30pm, Island House, Roserton Street, E14. Thurs, 1-3pm, Splash, Will Crooks Estate, Poplar High Street, E14. 7987 9379

Skillsmatch

Free advice on all aspects of employment including training, apprenticeships and job vacancies. Canary Wharf Recruitment & Training Centre, 55 Upper Bank Street, E14. 7364 3727 or email skillsmatch@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Tower Hamlets National Childbirth Trust

Offers support, information and friendship to parents and parents-to-be. Regular events. 07976 710964 or towerhamletsnct@yahoo.com www.nct.org.uk

Breastfeeding Support Centres

Mon 11am-1pm Wapping Children's Centre, 15 Chandler St, E1. Weds 12.30-2.30pm, Collingwood Children's Centre, Buckhurst St, E1. Fri 12.30-2.30pm, Overland Children's Centre, 60 Parnell Rd, E3. Sun 2-4pm Barkantine Birth Centre, 121 Westferry Rd, E14. 3594 2591 or 07961 609 626

Families with Autism

Spark Centre, Smart Street, E2. 8981 4924 fwautism@btinternet.com

Careers advice

Tower Hamlets Careers Service

Careers advice for ages 13-19 (up to 25 SEN). Mon-Fri, 1pm-5pm. Appointments available. Careers Centre, 35 Bow Road, E3. 7364 1401

TH Lifelong Learning

Mon-Thurs, 10am-4pm. Shadwell Centre, 455 The Highway, E1.

Careers advice

Support from Civic Enterprise Clubs Co-operative. Tues & Thurs, 1-4pm & 6-9pm. Bishopsgate Institute, 230 Bishopsgate, EC2. 07432 463343



Photo order form

Copies of pictures published in East End Life taken by council photographers are available to readers. To request a copy, email eastendlife.news@towerhamlets.gov.uk and we can send it straight away. If you do not have access to email fill in this form and send it to Photos, East End Life, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, Poplar, E14 2BG. This service does take longer.

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Uniting for cheaper power

T.H.E Community Power, run by the council, uses the collective buying power of residents to ensure energy providers offer the best rates possible for those signed up to the scheme.

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Blitz on litter

"It's important for local businesses and the community to work together to promote the anti-littering message."

PHIL BARTON, KEEP BRITAIN TIDY

News



Save cash – and win an iPad

BY SUSAN MULLIGAN

THE next energy switching auction is now live in Tower Hamlets, giving residents the chance to save an average of £150 on their annual energy bill

Registering for the council's innovative energy saving scheme – T.H.E. Community Power – is free, simple to do and all residents who register or who have registered to be part of it, will be entered into a free prize draw to win an iPad Mini.

T.H.E Community Power harnesses the collective buying power of residents to ensure that energy providers offer the best

energy rates possible for those who are signed up to the scheme.

T.H.E. Community Power has also joined up with the London-wide switching campaign, The Big London Energy Switch, to further build on the collective buying power of the scheme.

Using an auction-style system, energy companies are allowed to put forward their most competitive rates, bringing cheaper gas and electricity to anyone who has registered their interest.

Mayor Lutfur Rahman said: "The council's energy saving scheme is a great way to help make every penny count.

"I would urge residents to speak to our council staff about their energy needs, as they can provide independent advice about the best energy option available to our residents."

To register your interest now, with no obligation to switch your energy provider, call 0800 508 8364 or go to www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/energy for more information.

When signing up, residents are asked to input their energy usage information using a recent energy bill or annual statement. When the auction closes, residents are given a free comparison offer. There is no obligation to switch providers.

Poll fraud claims refuted

ALLEGATIONS made by four residents to the High Court in a bid to challenge May's mayoral election are being robustly disputed by the council.

The four had to submit evidence of their claims that the election was fraudulent to the court by August 18.

Further witness statements will be required by the court by September 8.

However, the council insists that some of the evidence submitted last week has given

rise to much inaccurate speculation.

And the council's returning officer John Williams said allegations made about the way he ran the May elections were without foundation.

"The returning officer's role is neutral and non-political and my only concern was to deliver a free and fair election with a result that accurately reflects the will of the electorate," he said.

"We have taken far-reaching steps to ensure this happens in all elections and will continue

to strengthen our procedures, working with police and the Electoral Commission."

Months before the elections the council launched a tough Local Protocol against fraud and intimidation, which was described by elections watchdog the Electoral Commission as being among the strongest in the country.

In its national report on the May elections published in July, the Commission said the council's response to allegations of fraud, alongside the police, was prompt and thorough.

VOLUNTEERS joined forces on a litter picking challenge in Weavers Field, Bethnal Green last week collecting more than ten bags of rubbish.

Staff from McDonald's restaurants in The Highway and Commercial Road swung into action with the council's Cleaner Greener volunteering team. They were joined by council

speaker Cllr Abdul Chunu Mukit, and St Peter's ward councillor Abjol Miah who are both pictured above with volunteers and the cast from the YouTube sitcom Corner Shop.

Local McDonald's franchisee Tariq Hussain, said: "Unfortunately there are still a significant proportion of people who think it's acceptable to drop litter."

News in brief

Courses on offer

A VARIETY of courses are being run by South Poplar & Limehouse Action for Secure Housing (Splash) and include learning English as a second language, training towards employment, and sewing and craft.

You can enrol at 1 Wigram House Community Centre, Wades Place, Poplar on Wednesday, September 10 from 10am-1pm. Call Nazma on 07930 103024 or 7515 8362.

Free guide

A FREE guide has been launched by the Independent Age charity for lonely or isolated older or disabled people. The Wise Guide book: Healthy, Happy, Connected – Support and Advice for Older People Living Alone, is available by calling 0800 319 6611 or it can be ordered online at www.independentage.org

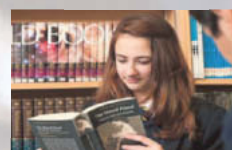
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News

Wartime stories brought to life

BY LARAINÉ CLAY

THE Geffrye Museum has won a grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund for a project to mark the centenary of World War I.

It has been awarded £8,600 for Writing Home which commemorates the war through the real life story of Private Arthur Webb (pictured), who joined the Machine Gun Corps in 1914 and was killed ten days before the end of the war, aged 20.

The one-year learning project, which starts in September, uses Arthur's personal belongings and letters sent from the West-



ern Front to his sister, Winnie.

They will be used with the Geffrye's own collections and 1910 period room to explore the stories of those left behind and consider the impact of the Great War on everyday life.

Janice Welch, interim head of learning at the museum in Kingsland Road, E2, said: "We are excited to be able to bring Arthur's story to life.

"The project will actively encourage participants to learn more about the First World War and develop new skills."

The project will include a theatre-in-education session, an exhibition of children's written work and a family day.

There will also be a youth-focused podcast project for young people aged 14 and 24 and Writing Home will support literacy skills in local primary and secondary schools.



FIREFIGHTERS in Tower Hamlets have a new look when they are out and about giving advice about fire safety.

The new uniform of trousers, T-shirts, short-sleeved shirts, jackets and sweatshirts, replaces the old style which dates back more than 20 years. The jackets and shirts come complete with the London Fire Brigade crest and logo to make staff easily identifiable to

members of the public. Borough fire commander Bruce Epsly said: "It's really important that the public know what our staff look like when they visit their homes to give fire safety advice and fit smoke alarms.

"The new workwear uniform not only gives our firefighters a really professional look, it makes them easily identifiable."

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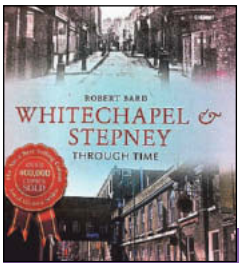
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Step back in time captured on film

The book, *Whitechapel and Stepney Through Time*, gathers pictures of the East End from the late 18th and early 19th century and runs them with modern day pictures.

Got a story to tell?

If you have a tale about East End history, write to John Rennie or email him at johnrennie@gmail.com

WWW.EASTLONDONHISTORY.COM

History

BY JOHN RENNIE

A YOUNG Winston Churchill shelters amid a phalanx of armed policemen, staring nervously up at a Sidney Street window.

A group of ragged schoolchildren, caps on heads, even the toddlers, gaze intently out of a photograph, captivated by a lens. A crowd of dozens, willing yet again to pose for a photographer in those days when the captured image was a novelty, gather outside the Russian vapour baths at No 86 Brick Lane.

And a man sprints across the Mile End Road, dodging his way between lorries and trams, as billboards for the News of the World and Wales's Stout gaze down, his run frozen forever by the unseen photographer.

Unseen and unknown. For the men and women on the other side of the camera are lost in time, unheralded recorders of their day. A new book, *Whitechapel and Stepney Through Time* gathers together pictures of the East End from the late 18th and early 19th century, juxtaposing them artfully with shots of the same locations today.

As ever, there is sadness at how much is lost – bombs, slum clearance and misguided urban improvement has swept away much of Tower Hamlets, some of it for the better, much not.

But the fascination is seeing how many of the old buildings remain, sometimes hedged about by new buildings, a grand Victorian redbrick shouldering uncomfortably against a 21st century glass box on one side and a grey-streaked slab of unprepossessing 1970s concrete on the other. The East End has always been a patchwork quilt of old and new, and nowhere is it seen better than here.

The chap sprinting across the Mile End Road, beautifully frozen by a camera shutter in 1931, is at the junction with Burdett Road, and it's completely unrecognisable as the wide, low-rise-flanked intersection of 2014 vintage.

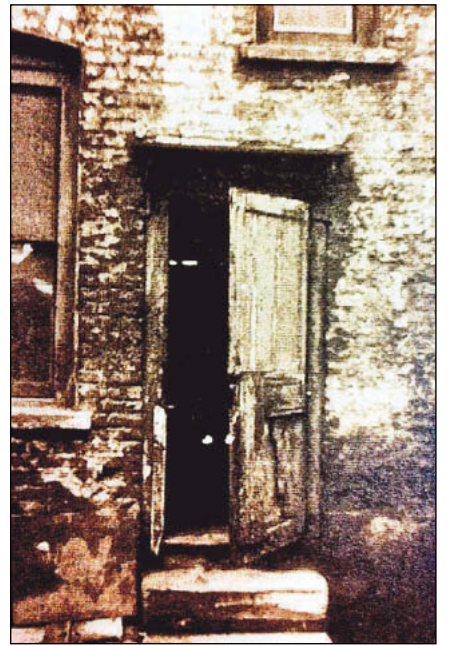
Tall buildings, the imposing La Boheme cinema, and those billboards, give it a far more bustling city feel than the latter day junction.

Old Montague Street, similarly, is unrecognisable. A terrace of haphazard houses, many bowing under their own weight and lack of foundations, creates a picturesque image of what most of London looked like until a century ago.

Most of London, of course, is not very old, such has been our enthusiasm for constant rebuilding. Sentiment is tempered of course, by the thought that the modern houses that stand there now will be considerably more pleasant to live in – water, heat, light and no infestations of cockroaches and bugs.

But there are tragic losses too. A cache

A long labour of love that captured London's history



(Main picture)
A man sprints across Mile End Road, dodging lorries and trams.

(Above l-r) The Sidney Street Siege; a huge sign advertising 'through tickets' at Whitechapel station.

(Top right) The step in Hanbury Street on which ripper victim Annie Chapman was found.

of old photos of Wellclose Square confirm what a massive act of vandalism was the destruction of the square in the 1960s.

Declared a slum in the 50s (though certainly a salvageable one) it was razed. With it went two-and-a-half centuries of history and arguably the most historically important square in east London. The Wellclose Square watch-house is captured in a melancholy sepia tint, gazing out over the wet East End cobbles, a memory of a time when the East End had watch-houses and watchmen, in the days before the Metropolitan police force was established.

Lost too is the old Danish church, which sat at the centre both of the square and of the Scandinavian community which settled in this area in the 17th and 18th century. Famous among them was the Swedish scientist, philosopher and mystic who lived in the square in the final years of his

life. A photograph of the modern-day Swedenborg Gardens is sobering. A handy place to walk the dog for sure, but hardly recompense for the loss of one of the architectural gems of Stuart London.

So much of the old London survived untouched for hundreds of years, right up to the early and middle years of the 20th century, because nobody had the will or money to knock it down and start again.

For a brief period in the middle of the 20th century we had the will and money but not the wisdom to know what to save. The conservation movement came not a moment too soon.

But that's not to sentimentalise all that's old. The Underground was a terrible destroyer of the old London, driving lines and cuttings cavalierly through old communities. But photographs of the Underground stations – then new – show

an optimism and excitement long gone from the subterranean travel most of us now treat as a chore.

"Through tickets are issued to all parts of London!" boasts a huge sign dwarfing Whitechapel station, rather in the way the great termini talked of through trains to Brighton, Southend...even the Continent. We've lost our sense of wonder: jaded as we latter Londoners are, we accept the ability to buy a ticket from Whitechapel to the outer reaches of Ealing without question. Beneath the sign, as ever, East Enders gather to be part of the picture.

And every picture was taken by one of the army of enthusiastic amateurs (and many more hard working, portrait snapping pros) willing to lug heavy equipment, endure painfully long and frequently ruined exposures and undertake complicated and messy processing. It was a labour of love to produce any of these photographs. Today we all have a camera at our fingertips, and dozens of carelessly taken and quickly forgotten snaps sitting on our phones. Few will have the charm of a turn of the 20th century picture of a gleaming new Whitechapel Art Gallery, or the historical importance of a snap of the soon-to-be-lost watch-house in White Horse Street. For those unseen (and largely unpaid) photographers, we should offer a vote of thanks.

■ *Whitechapel and Stepney Through Time* by Robert Bard is published by Amberley Publishing, £14.99.

A range of services

The council provides many services for residents and businesses. Go to the A-Z on the website at

WWW.TOWERHAMLETS.GOV.UK

Council information

Tower Hamlets forward planner

TOWER Hamlets Council produces a forward plan every month detailing the key decisions it will take, together with the details of

the author, and consultation undertaken. It can be found in Idea Stores, libraries, One Stop Shops and council offices or at www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/data/your-council/data/forward-plan/forward-plan.cfm

Meetings

Tuesday, September 2

6.30pm: Licensing sub-committee

Business includes applications for: new premises licence for Bundu Khan, 43 Commercial Street, E1; variation of premises licence for Best Kebab, 275 Commercial Road, E1.

For details, call 7364 4120 or email simmi.yesmin@towerhamlets.gov.uk

7.15pm: Overview & scrutiny committee

For details, call 7364 4333 or email angus.taylor@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Wednesday, September 3

5.30pm: Cabinet

For details, call 7364 4651 or email matthew.mannion@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Monday, September 8

7.30pm: Standards (advisory) committee

For details, call 7364 4333 or email angus.taylor@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Tuesday, September 9

5pm: Tower Hamlets Health & Wellbeing Board

For details, call 7364 4877 or email zoe.folley@towerhamlets.gov.uk

7pm: General purposes committee

Wednesday, September 10

7.30pm: Council

For details call 7364 4204 or email johns.williams@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Details are accurate at time of going to press. Agendas are available online a week before meetings, which are at the Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, Poplar, E14 2BG, except cabinet.



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- report a missed rubbish collection
- make a doorstep recycling request
- report an abandoned vehicle
- bulk rubbish collections



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The council's benefits service can provide information about housing benefit, council tax benefit and entitlement to free school meals. It has compiled a list of helpful agencies at...

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Planning

E1

43 Shandy Street – certificate of lawfulness (proposed) for erection of single-storey rear extension.

124-126 Stepney Way – prior approval application for change of use from retail to residential.

16 Martha Street – conversion of void space at ground floor to retail shop and erection of single-storey rear extension.

30-36 Turner Street – proposed roof extension to 1930/40s commercial and residential building within Myrdle Street Conservation Area, to provide single residential unit.

E1W

Flat 8, Baltic Court, 5 Clave Street – application for non-material amendment of planning permission ref. PA/11/03768, dated 7.2.12, comprising amendments to profile of rooflight and shape of windows.

Wapping Hydraulic Power Station, Wapping Wall – works to one sycamore tree.

E2

1-3 Corbridge Crescent & 1-4 The Oval – request for screening opinion as to whether an environmental impact assessment is required re. application for demolition of all buildings and structures on site and development of up to 18 storeys dropping to eight and six storeys. The likely layout of the development is

contained within pre-application documents submitted to the council. The development will comprise up to 110 dwellings, commercial floorspace and private communal open space.

E3

53 Coborn Road – conversion of two self-contained flats to single four-bedroom dwelling. No external alterations proposed.

Acme Studios, 42-44 Copperfield Road – proposed temporary siting of a Futuro on roof terrace of gallery.

Lewey House, Joseph Street – installation of three 0.6m and 1.2m telecommunications dishes, one 850mmx 900mm equipment cabinet and associated equipment.

E14

Wood Wharf, Prestons Road – request for screening opinion as to whether an environmental impact assessment is required re. application for installation of a cofferdam in South Dock and of a secant piled wall and temporary cut-off barrier on land forming part of the Wood Wharf site, alongside any adjacent or associated engineering works and operations.

83 Barchester Street – request for screening opinion as to whether an environmental impact assessment is required re. planning application for redevelopment of site for residential units and associated amenity, landscaping, access and car parking.

Drug treatment providers

Community Drug Team

Substitute prescribing, key working, health screening & referral to residential treatment. 71 Johnson Street, E1.

7790 1344

www.lifeline.org.uk

Nafas

Support with a focus on Bangladeshi community. The Davenant Centre, 179-181 Whitechapel Road, E1 7377 0676.

Harbour Recovery Centre

In-patient detox for 18+ males. Riverside House, 4th Floor, 20 Garford Street, E14. 7538 9421

Young People's Service

Treatment for under-19s Unit 26, Skyline Village, Limeharbour, E14. 3069 7878 www.lifeline.org.uk

Isis

For women aged over 18 c/o Hopetown Hostel, 60 Old Montague Street, E1. 7426 0399 www.compass-uk.org

Community Alcohol Team

Unit 22, Skyline Village Limeharbour, E14. 0800 008 7200 www.rapt.org.uk

Somali Substance Misuse

Help, advice & referral for people with khat, alcohol or drug issues. Contact Idriis Elmi. Mind in Tower Hamlets & Newham, Open House 13 Whitethorn Street, E3. 7510 1081

Don't bin it... swap it

A SWAP shop event is being held in Bow on Saturday, August 30 where you can clear out items you no longer want in return for something more useful.

You can take along reusable, clean items and take away things you like for free at the council-organised event in the Centre Community Hall in Bow.

Books, DVDs, CDs, clothes,

paired shoes, and toys can be taken along between 11am and 3pm to the community hall at 32 Merchant Street, E3.

The items must be in good condition and something that you are proud to hand on.

Large items, such as furniture, can also be swapped but should not be taken to the event.

Instead residents should take along a photo or description of the item, along with their contact details.

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For more information contact the council's waste management team on 7364 5004, email recycling@towerhamlets.gov.uk or visit www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/recycling

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Council information

Town Hall

Town Hall, Mulberry Place,
5 Clove Crescent, E14 2BG.
7364 5000

Hotline numbers

Housing benefits – 7364 5001
Council tax – 7364 5002
Parking services – 7364 5003
Streetline – 7364 5004
Adult social care – 7364 5005
Children's services – 7364 5006
Pest and noise nuisance –
7364 5007
Employment & skills service
(Skillsmatch) – 7364 3727
Environmental health,
trading standards & licensing
– 7364 5008
Planning & development
– 7364 5009
Business rates – 7364 5010
Recruitment line – 7364 5011
Electoral services – 7364 0872
Tower Hamlets Homes – 7364
5015
Healthline – 7364 5016

General enquiries

Council enquiries – 7364 5020.

Useful housing numbers

Housing repairs – 0800 376 1637
Tenancy support – 7364 5544
Housing advice (E14) – 7364 7507
Housing advice (E1, E2 or E3)
– 7364 3558
Homeless service – 7364 7474
Choice-based lettings
– 7364 0244
Homeseekers – 0845 270 2400

Switchboard

If you know the name of the person or department, call the switchboard on 7364 5000.



Do you know where to find this unusual feature of the borough? Our popular oddities picture poser gives readers the chance to keep their eyes peeled to see if they can spot where our photographers took the pictures. If you have photos of your own you would like to see published in East End Life, email them to eastendlife.news@towerhamlets.gov.uk or send them to Photo Poser, East End Life, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, Poplar, E14 2BG. They need to be high resolution, at least 1MB and 300 dpi.

Report it!

To report an incident, use these 24-hour freephone numbers:

Non-emergency crimes – 101
Textphone – 18001 101

If a crime is in progress, there is an emergency or if anyone is in immediate danger dial 999.

The council's domestic violence team can provide information, signposting and referrals to local services. Bengali speakers available

0800 279 5434 (office hours)
24-hour domestic violence national helpline

0808 2000 247

Haven Whitechapel (sexual assault referral centre)

7247 4787

Karma Nirvana (Honour Network Helpline)

0800 5999 247

Broken Rainbow (LGBT domestic violence)

0845 260 4460

Black Women's Health & Family Support

8980 3503

Rights of Women

(legal advice)
7251 6577

Victim Support Line

0845 30 30 900

Victim Support Tower Hamlets

8555 8254

NSPCC Child Protection Helpline

0800 800 5000

Childline

0800 1111

Shelterline

0808 800 4444

Respect (for perpetrators)

0845 122 8609

Reunite (advice about child abduction)

0116 2556 234

Men's Advice Helpline

0808 8010 327

Samaritans

08457 909090

Tower Hamlets Mediation Service offers confidential and impartial advice with neighbour conflict

Free service for council tenants and leaseholders. 7702 8305

Trading standards

Consumer Direct: 08454 040506

Walk-in services

One Stop Shops

Bethnal Green – 1 Rushmead, off Bethnal Green Road, E2
Bow & North Poplar – John Onslow House, 1 Ewart Place, E3
South Poplar – 15 Market Square, Chrisp Street, E14
Stepney & Wapping – Idea Store Watney Market, 260 Commercial Road, E1.
Open Mon-Fri, 9am, doors close at 4.30pm. Sat, 9am, doors close 12.30pm at Rushmead and Idea Store Watney Market only.

Idea Stores

Bow – Gladstone Place, E3.
Canary Wharf – Churchill Place, Canary Wharf, E14.
Chrisp Street – Vesey Path, E14.
Whitechapel – 321 Whitechapel Road, E1. 7364 4332
Watney Market – Commercial E1. 7364 4332
All open: Mon to Thurs, 9am-9pm; Fri, 9am-6pm; Sat, 9am-5pm. Sundays – Bow and Chrisp Street open, 10am-4pm; Whitechapel, 11am-5pm; and Canary Wharf, 12-6pm.

Libraries

Bethnal Green – Cambridge Heath Road, E2. 8980 3902
Cubitt Town – Strattondale Street, E14. 7987 3152
All open: Mon, Tues, Weds & Fri, 10am-6pm; Thurs, 10am-8pm; Sat, 9am-5pm.
Local History Library and Archives – 277 Bancroft Road, E1. Open Tues, 10am-5pm; Weds, 9am-5pm; Thurs, 9am-8pm; Sat (1st & 3rd of the month), 9am-5pm.
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রাস্তার গর্ত সারাতে ২৫০ হাজার পাউন্ড ফান্ড পেলো কাউন্সিল

রাস্তার গর্তগুলো সারাতে কেন্দ্রীয় সরকারের কাছ থেকে অতিরিক্ত ২ লাখ ৫০ হাজার পাউন্ড অনুদান পেয়েছে টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটস্ কাউন্সিল। গর্ত ও খানা খন্দক চিহ্নিত করে তা সারাতে আগামী কয়েক মাস কাউন্সিল বারার সকল রা স্তা সরেজমিনে অনুসন্ধান চালিয়ে পদক্ষেপ গ্রহণ করবে। বিস্তারিত পড়ুন নিচে -

£250,000 POTHOLE REPAIR FUND ANNOUNCED

Harmony

Gargaar ilmaha oo dheeraad ah

Extra help set to make a difference to kids – issue 1023

KAALMA dheeraad ah ayaa loo diyaariyey carruurta naafada ah amma qanbi camada qabta ee waxbarashada ku liidata iyaga iyo qoysaskoodaba.

Kawnsulku wuxuu ballaadhinayaa adeega haatan jira ee Xarunta Talosiinta Waalidiinta ee Whitechapel.

Labatankii sano ee ugu danbeysey, xaruntu waxay siineysey talooyin, macluumaad waalidiinta ay carruurtoodu naafada tahay, waxaanu hadda kaalmeeyaa 600 oo carruur ah, sannadkiiba.

Laga bilaabo Sebtembar, adeega waa la ballaadhinayaa. Da'a-da carruurta la kaalmaynayo, kor

ayaa loo qaadayaa, waxaa la gaadhsinayaa 25 jir, halkay awo ka ahaan jirtey 16-19 jir. Waxaa loo adeegayaa carruurta iyo walidiintaba. Waxaa la asaasayaa fooram cusub, oo carruurta ku bahoobaan, oo ka sheekaystaan danahooda, afkaarna isku dhaafsan karaan. Meeyar Lutfur Rahman ayaa yidhi: “Isbedeladani waxay ku ekeeni karaan nolosha carruurta deegaanka, farqi weyn.

“Kawnsulkani wuxuu diyaar u yahay ii ilma kasta in uu taakuleeyo, iyada oo baahidiisa loo tixgelinayo. Waanu ku faraxsanahay adeegan dheeraadka ee kordhay.”

Adeegyada ay bixiso xarunta waalidiintu ee saldhigiisu

yahay jidka Greatorex waxaa ka mid ah talooyin, macluumaad iyo talooyinka fool ka fool lagu siinayo si uu ugudbo heerka xiga halkuu joogo waxbarashada.

Shir weynaha ugu horeeya ee fooramka, waxaa lagu qabanayaa xarunta, maalinta Talaadada, Sebtembar 30da, 4pm, waana la soo dhaweynayaa xno cusub.

Faahfaahin dheeraad ah la xidhiidh Xarunta Talo-siinta Walidiinta 7364 6489 amma gaadh maalmaha Talaadada iyo Jimcaha, way furan yihiin 9.30am-3pm.

Warar dheeraad ah booqo www.towerhamlets.gov.uk

Ban yarihii u horeeyey ayaa la furay

BAN yarihii ugu horeeyey ee gobolka ayaa Bethnal Green laga furay, waxaana la dhalan rogey meel ila-fashaq ahayd oo duqsi ku reeeyey, islamarkaan asluub-xumada ka hana qaaday.

Natijadiina waa guul, u soo hoyatey dadweynaha iyo ugaadha, islamarkaana la helay wadiiqo ammaan ah oo loo maro sayladda Bethnal Green.

First ‘pocket park’ opens – pages 18 & 19

Bii’ada aan cabsida lahayn, Shaarica Derbyshire, gadaasha Oxford House, waa la dhallan rogey. Waxay ahayd il-fashaq, waxaa laga meel indhu ku doogsadaan oo qof waliba ku raaxaysto.

Meeyar Lutfur Rahman, oo so rasmi ah u furay ban yarahan 15 Ogost, ayaa yidhi: “Waa la yaab dhallan rogan lagu

sameeyey Shaarica Derbyshire. Cusbooneysiin dhab aha ayaa laga hirgeliyey.

“Alle waxaan ka rajeynayaa, in dadweynaha reer Bethnal Green, manaafacaadsan doonaan ban yarahan barakaysan.

“Kawnsulku wuxuu doonaya, sidii banaanaada gobolka, loo hagaajin lahaa, ee looga dhigi lahaa, beero lagu nasto.”

Deeq lagu dayactirayo gododka jidadka

£250,000 pothole repair fund announced

TOWER Hamlets waxaa loogu deeqay £250,000 oo dheeraad ah oo ay wax kaga qabato gododka.

Kawnsulku wuxuu ku dhaqaaqayaa on ay baadhi-taan ku sameeyo jidadka oo dhan bilaha innagu soo fool leh, si loo ogaado oo loo dayactiri potholes.

Dayactir weyn ayaa haatan la dhammaystiray, kaas oo lagu hagaajiyey Wick Lane bridge,

A12 dushiisa, halkaas oo had iyo jeer daroorimeen jirtey. Baaqi lacagtana waxaa lagu sahamin doonaa Vallance Road, oo lagaga cabanayo in ay jiraan potholes..

Mayor Lutfur Rahman ayaa yidhi: “Dayactirka wadooyinku, waa waajib joogta ah oo kawnsulada oo dhan saran. Lacagtan dheeraadka ahna waanu guddoonsaney.”

Kormeerida iyo hagaajinta waxaa laga maalgeliyaa

waaaxda dheeraadka ah ee gaadiidka, si ay wax uga qabtaan dhibaatooyinka wintarka ka dhasha.

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কাউন্সিল সার্ভিসসমূহের প্রশংসা করলো সুইডিশ প্রতিনিধি দল

Swedish delegation praises council services – page 6

সুইডেনের সিটি অফ গোটেনবার্গের লুডবি ডিস্ট্রিক্ট কাউন্সিলের ১৮ সদস্যের একটি প্রতিনিধি দল সম্প্রতি টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটস পরিদর্শন করেন। এসময় তাঁরা নির্বাহী মেয়র লুৎফুর রহমানের সাথে সাক্ষাৎ করেন।

কাউন্সিলের পক্ষ থেকে প্রতিনিধি দলের সামনে শিল্প ও সংস্কৃতি, আবাসন এবং উন্নয়ন ও বারার ইয়ুথ সার্ভিস সম্পর্কে তথ্য ও উপাত্ত উপস্থাপন করা হয়। ছুটির দিনগুলোতে তাদেরকে অসামাজিক কার্যকলাপ থেকে ধুরে রাখতে সামার লাইফ প্রকল্প সম্পর্কেও অবগত করা হয়।

প্রতিনিধি দল তাদের এলাকা লাগুবিতে কিভাবে বিভিন্ন সার্ভিস প্রদান করা হয় তা তুলে ধরেন। দুই কাউন্সিল কিভাবে পরস্পরের অভিজ্ঞতা বিনিময় করে কাজ করতে পারে এ নিয়েও আলোচনা করা হয়।

মেয়র লুৎফুর রহমানকে গোটেনবার্গের একটি অফিসিয়াল গাইড প্রদান করা হয়। মেয়র বলেন, “আরেকটি দেশে সহকর্মীরা তাদের প্রতিষ্ঠান কিভাবে চালাচ্ছেন এবং তাদের এলাকার বাসিন্দারা কী ধরনের সেবা গ্রহণ করছেন এটি জানা খুবই আনন্দের ব্যাপার। টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটস এবং সুইডেনের লুডবি বহু বিষয়ে একই ধরনের কাজ করছে। ভালো কাজের



Mayor Rahman receives a gift from Swedish delegation

অভিজ্ঞাত বিনিময় করে আমরা আমাদের বন্ধুত্বকে আরো সুদৃঢ় করবো এবং আরো এগিয়ে নিয়ে যাবার আশা রাখি।

দুই কাউন্সিলের নেতৃত্বদ্বয় বাসিন্দাদের দীর্ঘস্থায়ী সামাজিক সাম্য ব্যবস্থা চালু করতে আগ্রহ প্রকাশ করেন।

প্রতিনিধি দলের মুখপাত্র সারা থরনাডসন বলেন, “আমাদের ধারণা হয়েছে, টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটস দ্রুতগতিতে এগিয়ে চলেছে। এই বারায় আবাসন বাড়ানো হচ্ছে, নগরায়ন করা হচ্ছে।

তিনি বলেন, সুইডেনের মধ্যে লাডবি এল-কায় ও অনুরূপ নগরায়ন করায় টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের প্রতি আমাদের আগ্রহ বেড়েছে।”

তিনি আরো বলেন, “আমরা দেখতে চাই একটি বার কিভাবে তাদের প্রবীণ জনগোষ্ঠীকে অবহেলা না করে তাদের উন্নয়ন কর্মকাণ্ড চালিয়ে যেতে পারে। এ ছাড়াও আমরা এই মর্মে অবগত আছি যে, বারায় তরুণ সমাজের উন্নতির জন্যেও প্রচার কাজ চলছে। এ প্রসঙ্গে ইয়ং মেয়রের কথা উল্লেখ করা যায়। আমরা এ ব্যাপারে আরো জানতে আগ্রহী।

রাস্তার গর্ত সারাতে ২৫০ হাজার পাউন্ড অনুদান পেলো কাউন্সিল

£250,000 pothole repair fund announced

রাস্তার গর্তগুলো সারাতে সরকারের কাছ থেকে অতিরিক্ত ২ লাখ ৫০ হাজার পাউন্ড অনুদান পেয়েছে টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটস্ কাউন্সিল।

গর্ত ও খানা খন্দক চিহ্নিত করে তা সারাতে আগামী কয়েক মাস কাউন্সিল বারার সকল রাস্তা সরেজমিনে অনুসন্ধান চালিয়ে পদক্ষেপ গ্রহণ করবে।

অব্যাহতভাবে পানি চুষিয়ে পড়ার কারণে এ১২ এর ওপরের উইক লেন ব্রিজটিতে যে বড় ধরনের গর্তের সৃষ্টি হয়েছিলো, তা মেরামত করা হয়েছে। অবশিষ্ট অর্থ দিয়ে ভ্যালেস রোডের গর্তগুলো সারাতে পুণরায় সারফেস করা হবে। কারণ স্থানীয় সাইকেলিস্টরা এখানকার গর্তের ব্যাপারে অভিযোগ করেছেন।

মেয়র, লুৎফুর রহমান বলেন, রাস্তাগুলোকে নিয়মিত মেরামত ও রক্ষাণাবেক্ষণ করা সকল কাউন্সিলের জন্য বড় ধরনের অর্থনৈতিক চ্যালেঞ্জ। তাই অতিরিক্ত এই অনুদান রাস্তা ঘাটের গর্ত মেরামত করতে আমাদের অনেক সাহায্য করবে।



Cabinet member Cllr Shahed Ali with the pothole squad

কেবিনেট মেম্বর ফর ক্লিন এন্ড গ্রীণ, কাউন্সিলর শাহেদ আলী বলেন, গত শীতকালের প্রতিকূল আবহাওয়ার কারণে বারার রাস্তাঘাটের অনেক ক্ষতি হয়েছে। রাস্তাগুলো সাইকেলিস্ট, গাড়ি চালক ও পথচারি সকলের জন্য অধিক-তর নিরাপদ করতে কাউন্সিল অতিরিক্ত এই অর্থ ব্যয় করবে।

যেকোন পটহোল অর্থাৎ গর্ত সম্পর্কে ফাইন্ড ইট, ফিক্স ইট, লাভ ইট এ্যাপ ব্যবহার করে, অথবা ০২০ ৭৩৬৪ ৫০০৪ নাম্বারে কল করে রিপোর্ট করতে জনসাধারণের প্রতি অনুরোধ করা হয়েছে। “ফাইন্ড ইট, ফিক্স ইট, লাভ ইট” এ্যাপটি এ্যাপল এ্যাপ স্টোর কিংবা গুগল প্লে থেকে বিনামূল্যে ডাউনলোড করা যাবে।



জিসিএসইতেও বারার শিক্ষার্থীদের অসাধারণ সাফল্য

টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের শিক্ষার্থীরা তাদের দীর্ঘ প্রতিক্ষিত জিসিএসই রেজাল্ট পেয়ে যেমন স্বস্তির নিঃশ্বাস ফেলে, তেমনি মেতে ওঠে বাঁধ ভাঙ্গা উচ্ছ্বাসে। বৃহস্পতিবার ২১ আগস্ট সারা দেশের মতো টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের সেকেন্ডারি স্কুলগুলোর জিসিএসই পরীক্ষার ফলাফল প্রকাশ করা হয়। বিস্তারিত পড়ুন নিচে -

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টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের শিক্ষার্থীরা তাদের দীর্ঘ প্রতিক্ষিত জিসিএসই রেজাল্ট পেয়ে যেমন স্বস্তির নিঃশ্বাস ফেলে, তেমনি মেতে ওঠে বাঁধ ভাঙ্গা উচ্ছ্বাসে।

বৃহস্পতিবার ২১ আগস্ট সারা দেশের মতো টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের সেকেন্ডারি স্কুলগুলোর জিসিএসই পরীক্ষার ফলাফল প্রকাশ করা হয়।

পরীক্ষা পদ্ধতিতে সংস্কার আনায় এবারের ফলাফল আগের মতো ভালো হবে না বলে অনেক হেড টিচারই মানসিকভাবে তৈরী ছিলেন।

এবারই প্রথম প্রচলিত কোর্সওয়ার্কের স্থলে নন-মডিউলার কোর্স চালু হয়, যেখানে দুই বছরের অধ্যয়ন শেষে অনুষ্ঠিত পরীক্ষায় অধিকতর জোর দেয়া হয়েছে। নতুন এই পদ্ধতির প্রভাব পড়েছে এবারের জিসিএসই রেজাল্টে।

এতদসত্ত্বেও আইল অব ডগস এর জর্জ গ্রীণস স্কুলের শিক্ষার্থীরা এবার ইংলিশ, হিস্ট্রি, হিউম্যানিটিজ, আইসিটি এবং ফারদার ম্যাথস এ অত্যন্ত ভালো করেছে।

জর্জ গ্রীণস স্কুলের হেড টিচার, জিল বেকার বলেন, আমি আমাদের সকল শিক্ষার্থীদের নিয়ে খুবই গর্বিত, যারা কঠোর পরিশ্রম করেছে এবং অনবদ্য রেজাল্ট লাভ করেছে। শিক্ষার্থী খুবই কঠোর পরিশ্রমী, ইতিবাচক ও উচ্চাভিলাষি দৃষ্টিভঙ্গির অধিকারী।

মিসেস ব্যাকার মাত্র এক বছর হলো এই স্কুলের দায়িত্ব নিয়েছেন এবং স্কুলটি যে দিকে অগ্রসর হচ্ছে, তাতে তিনি খুবই সন্তুষ্ট। বার্কলেস, মরগান স্ট্যানলি ও কুইন মেরি ইউনিভার্সিটির মতো শীর্ষস্থানীয় প্রতিষ্ঠানের সাথে শক্তিশালী সম্পর্কের কারণে স্কুলটি লাভবান হচ্ছে।

এই স্কুলের একজন তারকা শিক্ষার্থী নওশিন আলম পেয়েছেন ৪ এ স্টার, ৮ এ এবং ১ বি। পারিবারিক ধারা অনুযায়ী মেডিসিন নিয়ে পড়তে আগ্রহী নওশিনের স্বপ্ন নিওরোলোজিস্ট হওয়া।

নওশিনের প্রতিক্রিয়া হচ্ছে এমন, “আমি যেমন আশা করেছিলাম, রেজাল্ট তেমনি হয়েছে। আমার প্রিয় বিষয় হচ্ছে ম্যাথস এবং বায়োলোজি। খুবই শিগগিরই আমি সেন্ট জনস্ এন্ড্রুসে ওয়ার্ক এন্ডপেরিয়েন্সের জন্য কাজ করবো এবং পরে এ-লেভেল করতে সিটি এন্ড ইজলিংটন কলেজে যাবো।

আরেক মেধাবী শিক্ষার্থী হচ্ছে সামিহা



Daiana Stanciu and Noshin Alom with head teacher of George Green's School Jill Baker and Cllr Gulam Robbani

লব্বার। তিনি পেয়েছেন ২ এ স্টার, ১০ এ এবং ১ বি। সামিহা ও হতে চান চিকিৎসক। তিনি ম্যাথস, কেমিস্ট্রি, বায়োলোজী ও সাইকোলোজী নিয়ে এ-লেভেল করবেন।

ডায়ানা স্ট্যানসিও তার রেজাল্টের এনভেলপে বিস্মিত হন, কারণ ধারণার চেয়েও ভালো ফলাফল অর্জন করেছেন তিনি। তিনি পেয়েছেন ৩টি এ স্টার, ৬ এ, ২ বি। ডায়ানা বলেন, পরীক্ষা খুবই কঠিন ছিলো, তবে কঠোর পরিশ্রমের ফলে এমন রেজাল্ট হয়েছে। আমি আমার পরিবারকে ধন্যবাদ জানাতে চাই, কারণ তারা আমাকে যেমন উৎসাহ জুগিয়েছেন, তেমনি আমার রিভিশনের জন্য পর্যাপ্ত সময় ও নির্বিঘ্ন পরিবেশ নিশ্চিত করেছেন।

টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের নির্বাহী মেয়র, লুৎফুর রহমান জিসিএসই তে সাফল্য অর্জনকারী সকল ছাত্র-ছাত্রীকে অভিনন্দন জানিয়েছেন। তিনি

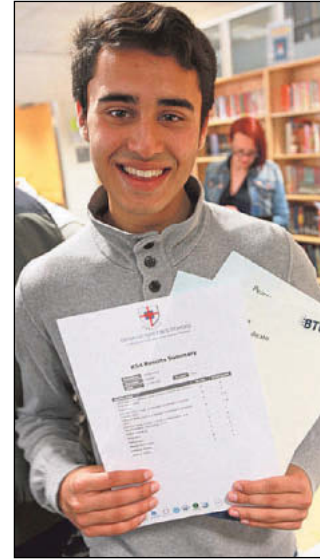
বলেন, তারা এখন উচ্চ শিক্ষার জন্য কলেজে কিংবা ওয়ার্কিং কেরিয়ার গড়তে মনোনিবেশ করবেন বলে আমরা আশাবাদী।

কেবিনেট মেম্বর ফর চিলডেন সার্ভিসেস, কাউন্সিলর গোলাম রব্বানী বলেন, টাওয়ার হ্যামলেটসের শিক্ষা ক্ষেত্রে দীর্ঘ দিন ধরে যে বিপুল বিনিয়োগ হয়ে আসছে, তারই ফসল হচ্ছে এই রেজাল্ট।

কাউন্সিলর রব্বানী বলেন, খুবই কম বয়স থেকে লেখাপড়া আগ্রহী করে তোলা, শিশু স্বাস্থ্যের উন্নয়নে ফ্রি স্কুল মিলস প্রদান এবং হেলদি স্কুল স্ট্যাটাস অর্জন, অভিভাবক ও শিশুদের জন্য সাপোর্ট নেটওয়ার্ক প্রতিষ্ঠা, ব্যাপক বিষয়ে এক্সট্রা-কারিকুলার কোর্সের ব্যবসা করা, আমাদের উদ্যোগে সর্বাধুনিক স্কুল বিল্ডিং নির্মাণ - এই সকল উদ্ভাবনী উদ্যোগ আমাদের শিশুদেরকে সর্বোচ্চ সাফল্য অর্জনে স্বক্ষমতা এনে দিয়েছে।

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Mohammed Hussain (left) and Richie Akbar from George Green's School show off their certificates



Shabnaz Rahman, Shamima Alom and Jasmin Abedin from Langdon Park School



Swanlea School head teacher Brenda Landers with GCSE high-fliers, from left: Mohammed Naeem Khan, Roda Abokor and Rifah Anjum

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এ্যাসপিরিন ক্যানসার

প্রতিরোধে সহায়তা করে

পঞ্চাশোর্ধ বয়সে নিয়মিত এ্যাসপিরিন সেবন করলে ক্যান্সারে আক্রান্ত হওয়ার সম্ভাবনা অনেকটা হ্রাস পায়।

মাইল এন্ডের কুইন মেরি ইউনিভার্সিটির একদল গবেষক দীর্ঘদিন গবেষণা করে দেখেছেন,

৫০ থেকে ৬৫ বছর বয়স্করা যদি প্রতিদিন একটি করে এ্যাসপিরিন সেবন করেন, তাহলে তাদের ক্যানসার হওয়ার সম্ভাবনা হ্রাস পেতে পারে। প্রতিদিন এ্যাসপিরিন সেবন করলে এবং ধূমপান না করলে ক্যান্সারের হাত থেকে রক্ষা পাওয়ার সম্ভাবনা রয়েছে।

এই গবেষণায় নেতৃত্ব দিয়েছেন কুইনমেরি ইউনিভার্সিটির সেন্টার ফর ক্যানসার প্রিভেনশন প্রফেসর জ্যাক কুজিক।

গবেষণায় দেখা গেছে যে, প্রতিদিন একটি

করে এ্যাসপিরিন ১০ বছর সেবন করলে বাওল বা অন্ত্র ক্যানসারে আক্রান্ত হওয়ার সম্ভাবনা ৩৫ শতাংশ হ্রাস পায় এবং এর ফলে মৃত্যু হার ৪০ ভাগ কমে। স্টমাক ক্যানসারের হার কমে ৩০ ভাগ এবং রোগে মৃত্যুর হার কমে ৩৫ থেকে ৫০ ভাগ।

প্রফেসর জ্যাক কুইজিক বলেন, এ্যাসপিরিন হচ্ছে সেই ধরনের একটি স্বল্প মূল্যের ঔষধ যা সেবন করলে ক্যানসার হওয়ার সম্ভাবনাকে হ্রাস করে থাকে।

৩০ আগস্ট বোর কমিউনিটি হলে সোয়াপ ইভেন্ট

নিজের অপ্রয়োজনীয় পণ্যের সাথে দরকারী পণ্য বিনিময় করার বিশেষ একটি ইভেন্ট অনুষ্ঠিত হবে আগামী ৩০ আগস্ট শনিবার বোর সেন্টার কমিউনিটি হলে। স্থানীয় বাসিন্দারা আর ব্যবহার করছেন না, এমন পুনর্ব্যবহার উপযোগী, পরিষ্কার পরিচ্ছন্ন আইটেম সাথে করে আনতে পারেন এবং

যে আইটেম দরকারী তার সাথে বিনিময় করতে পারেন।

বোর ৩২ মার্চেন্ট স্ট্রিটে (ইও ৪এলএক্স) অবস্থিত কমিউনিটি হলে ৩০ আগস্ট শনিবার বেলা ১১টা থেকে বিকাল ৩টা পর্যন্ত অনুষ্ঠিতব্য এই সোয়াপ ইভেন্টে বাসিন্দারা বই, ডিভিডি, সিডি, কাপড় চোপড়, জুতো, খেলনা ইত্যাদি নিয়ে আসতে পারবেন। বিনিময়ে তারা তাদের পছন্দের জিনিস নিতে পারবেন।

ব্যাটারিজ, প্রিন্টার কার্টেজ, লো ইনার্জি লাইট

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■ The above stories are: aspirin miracle – issue 1022; swap event in Bow– page 18.

An innovative park in Bethnal Green is bursting with sustainable and green features, as **Sarah McLaughlin** reports. Photos by **Rehan Jamil**.



An ideal habitat for native bees



The park is a haven for people and wildlife

THE borough's first 'pocket park' has opened in Bethnal Green – transforming an eyesore previously blighted by fly-tipping and anti-social behaviour.

And the result is a haven for residents and wildlife which also provides a quiet new bypass to the busy market area in Bethnal Green Road.

The environmentally-friendly park in Derbyshire Street, behind Oxford House, was officially opened by Mayor Lutfur Rahman during a community event on August 15.

What was a dead end section of public highway is now a sustainable, connected and usable community area.

Eco-friendly features include the latest Sustainable urban Drainage Systems (SuDS), meaning that rainwater is soaked up by the green areas and does not go directly into the combined sewer system.

The innovative project is the first in inner London to use such a variety of SuDS technologies which work by slowing and holding back the water that runs off, allowing natural processes to break down pollutants

Other innovative features include rain attenuating containers with edible herbs, green roof shelters, habitat panels and an area for potential outdoor seating.

Mayor Rahman said: "It is amazing the transformation that has taken place here in Derbyshire Street.

"There has been real innovation shown in the use of space, planting and street furniture to maximise sustainability. "I hope the people of Bethnal Green cherish their new small, but perfectly formed, park." The park uses wildlife-friendly planting and furniture with habitat panels in which native bees and insects can



Leo, eight, gets up a head of steam



A young boy cycles by

nest, as well as gabion benches made of large stones inside metal grids, providing niches for insects.

A variety of native plants have been used, specially selected for being rich in nectar, and edible herbs have been grown in planters for all to use.

Created with input from residents, the park



Project manager Jessica Bastock and Paul Whitfield (floods and structures)

■ Pocket parks are part of the mayor of London's initiative called London's Great Outdoors which aims to improve streets, squares, parks, and canal and riverside spaces.

■ Across the capital 100 new or enhanced pocket parks are transforming small areas of inviting public space for people to enjoy, providing relief from the hustle and bustle of the city.



This bicycle shed is one of the park's useful

project involved the council, Oxford House, Greysmith Associates, the Greater London Authority (GLA) and Thames Water.

Cllr Shahed Ali, cabinet member for clean and green, said: "The park is a good example of strong partnership work between the community, council and the GLA.

"I am proud of what has been achieved

here in Derbyshire Street and it shows other developers the extent that sustainable urban drainage systems can be worked into a community space to be enjoyed by all."

John Ryan, chief executive of Oxford House, said: "My office looks out over Derbyshire Street and six years ago I used to look out and see parked cars and



Edible herbs in rain attenuating containers donated by Thames Water

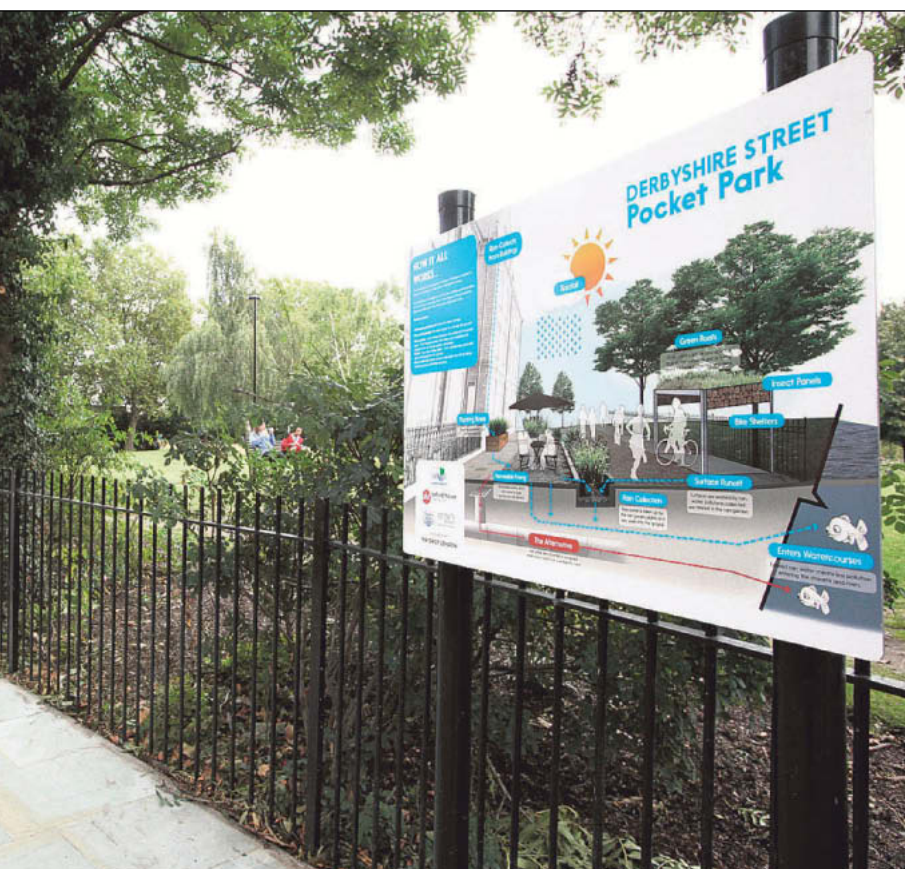


A bee goes about its business on a verbena



Margaret Cooper, head of transport and highways at the council, with Mayor Lutfur Rahman, Cllr Shahed Ali and John Ryan from Oxford House

bee's knees



Key features

fly-tipped rubbish and wanted to change it. We have worked hard with Luke Greysmith and the council to develop the beautiful space we have today; one that can be used by Oxford House and the community as a whole."

The space also has improved routes and facilities for pedestrians and cyclists and new

cycle sheds, and a through lane to Weavers Fields creating a quiet, new alternative route to Bethnal Green Road.

Work has been carried out to widen Derbyshire Street further down from the pocket park to allow more space for cyclists.

The project was part-funded by the Mayor of London's Pocket Park initiative.



Guests at the park opening



Jessica Hills sits on a gabion bench made using recycled road surface from the site



Well crafted

Joshua Raffell's first solo show at studio 1.1 runs until August 31.

www.studio1-1.co.uk



East End creative: Dan Jones

In support of his exhibition, the Shadwell-based artist hosts a series of workshops at Tower Hamlets Local History Library and Archives, including poetry and film screening sessions.

www.ideastore.co.uk/local-history

Out & about guide

What's on where this week

Dance

Argentinian tango E14

Class. Sat 2-5pm. £5. St John's Community Hall, 37 Glengall Grove, E14.
7538 3852

Ballroom/Latin American

Fri, 2-4pm, £2.50, 20p refreshments. Kingsley Hall, Powis Road, E3.
8550 1392

Belly dancing

Beginners' belly dancing classes
Sats, 2-3pm, £6.
Oxford House, Derbyshire Street, E2.
07796 850506

Brazilian dance aerobic classes

Weds 9-10am & Thurs, 1-2pm. Free. Alpha Grove Centre, Isle of Dogs, E14
7538 1714

Energize4Girlz

South African gumboot dancing. Every other Saturday from 11am-12:30pm.
St Pauls Shadwell Church, 302 The Highway, E1.
energize4girlzdance@gmail.com

Green Candle Senior Dance

Over-60s, no experience is necessary. Tues, 10.30am-12.30pm, one free taster session.
Oxford House, Derbyshire Street, E2.
7739 7722

Salsa

For dancers of all experience, beginners welcome, followed by dancing until midnight. Prices vary. Every Tues & Weds, 7.30-9.30pm.
Urban Bar, 176 Whitechapel Road, E1.
07932 658861

Swing Dance

All ability levels welcome. Every Fri, 7-9pm.
£7 per person or £10 for a lead/follow couple.
The Hall, St Margaret's House, 21 Old Ford Road, E2.
8980 2092

Zumba classes

Every Tues 11.15am-12.15pm. Healthy living sessions every Fri, 11am-3pm.
St Matthias Community Centre, 113 Poplar High St, E14.
7515 8362

Kids

Dance play

Dance and movement for parents/carers and children aged 1-5. Tues, 1.45-2.45pm, £1.50 (concessions available).
Language of Dance Centre, Oxford House, Derbyshire Street, E2.
7749 1131

Ballet

Classes every Thurs – ages 3-5 yrs, 3.50-4.25pm, £4; ages 6-11 yrs, 4.25-5.10pm, £4.
Alpha Grove Centre, Isle of Dogs, E14.
7538 1714

Deaf after school club

For ages 5-12. Mon-Fri, 4-6pm.
Tower Project, 45-55 White Horse Road, E1.
naima@towerproject.org.uk
7790 9085

Pollyanna Training Theatre

Drama and musical theatre for ages 4-16 in Wapping, E1.
7481 1911



Couple On Seat

New bronze sculpture by artist Lynn Chadwick. Part of the national Talking Statues project, it allows passers-by to swipe their smartphones on a nearby tag to draw responses from the figures. This bronze pair offer humorous reflections on marriage spoken by comedians Meera Syal and Sanjeev Bhaskar.
Canary Wharf, E14.

Comedy

Ellis & Rose's Brainwash Club

Featuring Andrew O'Neil, Steve Furst, Beth Vyse and Neil Frost. £5.
Weds, Aug 27. 7.30-10.15pm.
Backyard Comedy Club, 231 Cambridge Heath Road, E2.

Events

Blackwall Road Show

Different activities throughout the week, most events free.
Until Weds, Aug 27. Various times.
St Matthias Community Centre, 113 Poplar High Street, E14.
7987 0257

The Liberty Festival

Live music, street theatre, dance and film to mark National Paralympic Day. Paralympics GB stars will also compete in a range of sports events.
Sat, Aug 30. 12-6pm. Free
Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, E20.
0800 0722 110

Exhibitions

Print Exhibition

Work by students on Idea Store Learning arts & creative industries courses. Includes screen printing, etching and block printing. Free.
Until Thurs, Aug 28.

Brady Arts Centre, 192-196 Hanbury Street, E1.
7364 7900

Craft and Controversy

Artist Joshua Raffell probes the debauchery and underbelly of society. Until Sun, Aug 31. Weds-Sun, 12-6pm.
studio1.1, 57a, Redchurch Street, E2.
www.studio1-1.co.uk

East End Paintings by Dan Jones

A retrospective of the local artist's paintings and posters spanning more than 40 years.
Sat, Sept 6, 2-4pm workshop titled Make a Campaign Poster with Dan Jones. Exhibition runs until Nov 12.
Local History Library & Archives, 277 Bancroft Road, E1.
7364 1290

Jamaica's Hidden Histories

1980s photographs and drawings by Lorna Holder former head of young fashion at dressmaker Davies & Field, which occupied this Bethnal Green site between 1979 and 1986. Free.
Thurs, Sept 11-27.
Lower Café, Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Road, E1.
www.richmix.org.uk

Theatre

Anna Weiss

Mike Cullen's controversial play first produced in 1997, tells the story of Anna, a hypnotherapist who specialises in uncovering the 'lost' memories of her patients. £12/£10. Discounts available for E14 residents.
Tues, Aug 26-Sept 13. 7.30pm.
The Space, 269 Westferry Road, E14.
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Support for new work

CASA Latin American Theatre Festival welcomes the return of Nuestra CASA Scratch Night, an award supporting new work by British-LatAm artists, including Vicky Araico Casas (pictured).

Did you know...

Half Moon Theatre is in a 150-year-old building, which used to be home to the Limehouse Board of Works.

SEE BELOW

Out & About

Weekend treat for film BUFFs

Genesis Cinema plays host to the British Urban Film Festival

BY JAMES MARTIN

A PROGRAMME of screenings, Q&As and a world premiere is being held next weekend at Genesis cinema.

The special events are part of a showcase by the British Urban Film Festival (BUFF) 2014.

On Friday, September 5 the Mile End picture house hosts the UK premiere of Woodfalls.

The 75-minute film, which tells the story of a family of travellers who move to a rural town and are stigmatised by the local community, is followed by a Q&A session including the film's director David P Campion.

Saturday's highlights include City of God – 10 Years Later, a retrospective look at the fate of the actors involved in the 2002 Brazilian crime drama. The evening also features a Q&A.

An evening event titled BUFF Shorts UK showcase is being held later on Saturday.

The three-hour programme features 11 short films – all UK productions made within the past two years – and includes 2014's Bucky by Danny John-Jules and 2013's Charlie Boy by Vicki Kisner.

Tickets for BUFF's short film showcase cost £12.

On Sunday, The Trials of Muhammad Ali will be shown at 6pm. The film is based on the legendary American

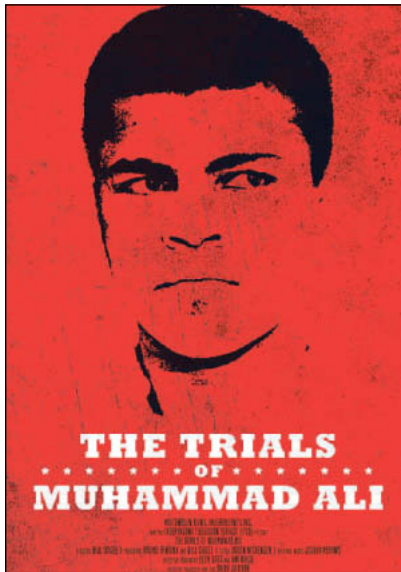
boxer's battle to overturn a five-year prison sentence for refusing US military service in Vietnam.

The headline event on Sunday is a world premiere of Montana, which hits screens at 9pm.

Set on the streets of east London, it follows the trials and tribulations of the eponymous 14-year-old lead character who discovers that the crime lords he worked for secretly killed his father.

Tickets for Montana cost £12 and include access to the closing night after-party at Genesis.

For more information visit www.britishurbanfilmfestival.co.uk or phone the Genesis box office on 7780 2000.



The Trials of Muhammad Ali will be screened during the festival

Latin flavours at the Rich Mix

AN award-winning theatre festival is set to return this autumn with an international programme and its biggest line-up to date.

The 8th CASA Latin American Theatre Festival comes to Rich Mix from October 10-19.

The programme features a broad range of performing talent from Latin America in the same Shoreditch arts venue that recently hosted Joga Bola, a celebration of Brazilian culture which saw a range of events mark the World Cup.

Among the highlights being hosted at Rich Mix include Argentinian mime artist Jorge Costa; a satirical tourist board comedy called Visite Argentina; and

Bar Ensueño/Daydream Inn, a Chilean play about drinking and dissent that will be followed by live music and a dance.

Artistic director Daniel Goldman said: "CASA has come so far in just a few years. To have such a huge range of work is a testament to the brilliant curiosity of our audiences."

This year's festival is influenced by themes of revolution and resistance. A series of workshops and free events will also be held.

Other venues hosting events are the Barbican and Haggerston's Rose Lipman Building.

A full programme will be announced in September – for more information see www.casafestival.org.uk



Young performers rehearse some of their moves

Half Moon programme examines Victorian roots

A SERIES of events has been announced by the Half Moon Theatre – boosted by £9,500 from the Heritage Lottery Fund.

The Limehouse youth theatre is launching a broad programme this autumn under the banner #Limehouselandmark

Its new project will probe the Victorian roots of the 150-year-old building – originally the Limehouse Board of Works – which has been Half Moon's home for 20 years.

Events include guided tours, an exhibition, storytelling sessions and performances.

It all gets under way on September 5 with a

photographic exhibition, by David Mott, focusing on the recently refurbished site in White Horse Road

The Half Moon will also be participating in Open House London – the city's largest annual festival of architecture and design – on September 20 & 21 for the first time.

Meanwhile, a new play by Stepney based Jonny O'Neill – The Royal Duchess Superstore – opens on September 9, one of 13 productions in the theatre's autumn season.

For more details on events and shows, visit www.halfmoon.co.uk

News in brief

Absurdist afloat

A MOVING art gallery will wend its way along the waterways of east London next weekend.

In Making Progress, Alexander Costello will deliver a series of performances aboard Fordham Gallery – a gallery usually located on a canal barge.

For the shows, Costello will dress in a white suit and attach himself to the barge's bow for an absurdist piece which draws influence from performance artists of the 1960s.

Departing from Camden Lock on Thursday, September 4, the boat will make its way across London at 2mph, arriving in Tower Hamlets on Saturday, September 6 where it will take passengers eastbound from Victoria Park at noon.

For more details of the event, held by the Royal British Society of Sculptors, visit www.rbs.org.uk, call 7373 8615 or follow @SculptureShock

Hip-hop pops up

A POP-UP hip-hop festival has arrived in Shoreditch for the bank holiday weekend.

Popin' Pete, a US dancer who worked with Michael Jackson, has brought workshops, art, DJs and parties.

There are still plenty of events this Monday, August 25 at Londonecastle Project Space, 28 Redchurch Street, including dance workshops at 4.30pm and 7pm, a youth takeover with graffiti and popping workshops from 12-3pm (free places for local young people) and an open practice session with DJs and dancers at 3pm.

For full details go to www.facebook.com/PopinPetesShop

A Grand day out

THE Grand Union Orchestra has announced details of a new show at the Hackney Empire.

Undream'd Shores, on November 1 and 2, will feature the orchestra alongside world and jazz musicians.

Tickets, which cost £12 (£6 concs), are available on 8985 2424 or online at www.hackneyempire.co.uk



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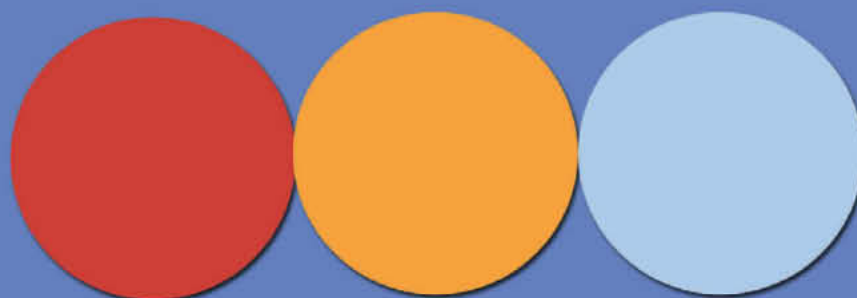
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Eating out, eating in

Tantalising delights await Muxima guests

BY GORDON BLUE

BE still my beating muxima (heart in Kimbundu), what is this vision of loveliness amid the pound shops and pile 'em high traders?

Muxima already looks rather special from the outside, with a friendly looking giraffe in the window and twinkly lights.

The atmosphere is laid-back to horizontal, and I'm already feeling soothed.

This is aided further by the delivery of a little flat-white prepared with love and care, so much so that when a tiny amount of coffee breached the rim, it was taken away to be tidied and perfected.

The brunch and lunch menu runs along Mies van der Rohe's idea of less is more: punchy and tantalising, there's something for everyone.

We drooled at the idea of the flatbreads, plumping for the chorizo and haloumi options, alongside a Greek salad.

The salad was a little overkill as both enormous flatbreads



Muxima is the perfect place to unwind

came with grated carrot, courgette and rocket. Carrots were spiked with cumin and the courgette was muddled with mint, which was a rather loving touch for a simple lunch dish.

I can barely describe how good the almond croissant bread and butter pudding is. Surely you can imagine by the name.

Most importantly, this joint is a real tonic: they not only lovingly accepted Maggie the

dog but gave her a bowl of water, they permeated patience and calm as we dithered over desserts, and we left feeling restored and ready for the afternoon.

The interiors are a wonderful mix of piles of books, toys from the past and kooky lighting using recycled glasses and bottles. Fresh flowers adorn the tables and bottled water is offered on arrival.

They do occasional pop-up

dinners, as well as other exciting events including film nights, jam sessions and comedy nights.

The concept is about involving the community and going from there. Have I sold this enough? Are you grabbing your coat and rushing out the door?

Two ate and drank well for just shy of £25 which is a billy bargain in anyone's books.

■ **Muxima is at 618 Roman Road, E3. Tel: 8980 0850**

Chuck berries at this 70s favourite

THIS recipe is supplied by Café Relax, which runs a restaurant selection of meals as well as cakes and light snacks. in Weavers Field, Bethnal Green.

Berry pavlova roulade – serves 4-6

Ingredients
4 medium egg whites, (free range)
250g caster sugar
50g flaked almonds
150g mascarpone

150g double cream
icing sugar to dust

For the berry coulis...

250g mixed berries
1 tbsp caster sugar

Method

1. Pre-heat oven to 200°C/ 180°C fan/gas mark 6 and line a 23x33 Swiss roll tin or a baking tin with baking parchment.

2. Whisk the egg whites until soft peaks appear then add caster sugar gradually. Whisk until stiff and glossy.

3. Spread the mixture evenly over baking parchment, then smooth with a spatula, making sure that it's even. Sprinkle with the flaked almonds.

4. Bake for 10-12 minutes or until the meringue is lightly golden. Turn down your oven to 160°C and continue baking for another 20 minutes

5. Remove from the oven and let it cool. After 5 minutes turn the meringue on to another baking parchment. Leave to cool for another 15 minutes.

6. While waiting, whip the cream until stiff, then in another bowl whip the mascarpone until light and fluffy. Fold the cream and mascarpone together.

7. For the coulis, put the berries in a small saucepan with caster sugar. Bring to a boil and simmer for 5 minutes. Allow to cool before sieving into another container.

8. When the meringue is completely cool, spread the mascarpone and cream mix on to the meringue, then pour and spread half the coulis, saving the other half for serving.

9. Roll up the meringue tightly with the aid of the baking parchment. Chill for an hour then dust with icing sugar. Serve with a drizzle of the remaining coulis.

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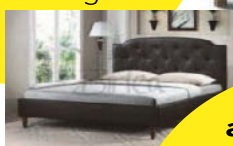
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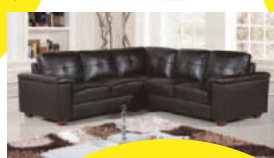
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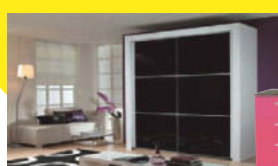


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Cable Street Community Gardens was founded in the 1970s as part of a Friends of the Earth initiative.

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Property



A magnolia tree takes centre stage in the roof garden above the new Canary Wharf Crossrail station

Garden begins to bloom

BY JESSICA ODUBAYO

A ROOF garden above the new Canary Wharf Crossrail station is starting to take shape after the first tree was craned into position.

A magnolia tree was lifted through the station's semi open-air timber lattice roof.

The roof garden is due to become a retail and leisure destination from next year, three years ahead of trains running through the station.

Canary Wharf Group began work on the new Crossrail station in 2009 developing 115,000 sq ft of retail and leisure space on seven floors.

They will include include a

mix of shops, restaurants, bars and a cinema.

Designed by Foster + Partners, the roof is made up of 56 elliptical louvres made of anodised aluminium, allowing air flow and natural irrigation to reach the plants.

A variety of species have been selected by landscape architects Gillespies as a nod to the

heritage of the Docklands area, where many collectors arrived with exotic plants from new continents.

A spokesman for Canary Wharf Group said: "As the newly planted trees grow and come into bloom, so too will Canary Wharf's ambitious expansion of the lifestyle and retail offering on the estate."

Reap the rewards for months ahead

Tips from Cable Street Community Gardens

SUMMER is drawing to a close and now is the time to reap the rewards of all the hard work throughout the year – hopefully bountiful harvests and flowers aplenty.

But, as always with gardening, it is also the time to start planning for the future.

Early autumn is the time to order onion sets or Japanese onions ready for planting in a few weeks. Unless the ground is waterlogged, these should do well over winter, ready to harvest before the main crop.

They can also be planted in containers, each onion (set) pressed into the soil pointed end up, around 4 inches (10 cms) apart so that just the tip is left above ground. Keep watered and weeded – not so necessary during the winter!

Garlic can also be planted.



Break individual cloves from the bulb and plant flat end down about 1.25 in (3 cm) into the soil. Garlic is very hardy and needs a period of cold to do well. They should be ready to harvest by midsummer.

Long used in cooking, their benefits have been well catalogued, including helping the circulation and helping ward off coughs and colds. They are also a rich source of vitamin C when eaten raw.

If spring seems far away, why not plant a few autumn flowering bulbs such as autumn crocuses, as well as ordering ones to bring colour and enjoyment to the dark dreary days at the beginning of the year. Happy gardening!

Regeneration programme shortlisted for architectural award

A SCHEME to improve a housing block in Poplar has been shortlisted for a national award.

Pellings Architectural Property and Construction Practice is up for the Architects' Journal Retrofit Award for its work on

Langdon House in Ida Street on the Brownfield Estate.

Refurbishment of the 1950s block is part of a £250 million regeneration programme by housing association Poplar Harca which manages the estate.

Paul Dooley, director of estate regeneration at Poplar Harca, said: "We are very proud with the high quality transformation of Langdon House which has been achieved through close consultation with both Pellings

and our local resident groups."

Jo Pou, the architect at Pellings responsible for the project, said: "There are various reasons why we believe Langdon House has been shortlisted. Its design has been led by extensive consulta-

tion with residents to deliver a building that works for them."

She said the new public space incorporated many features that were unusual for an urban development such as tree planting, sculptures and waterfalls.



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Further information on homes advertised is available at One Stop Shops & Neighbourhood Housing Offices

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Category	Description
A Wheelchair Accessible	Purpose built to meet most recent wheelchair housing standards
B Partially Wheelchair Accessible	Designed to older wheelchair housing standards
C Life time Homes	Specifically designed to create an accessible and adaptable home
D Easy Access	Designed to be spacious with no steps to the property
E Step-free	General housing with no steps to the property
F General Housing	Does not meet requirements for other categories
G Not assessed	Property not yet had access survey

Vulnerable applicants who need help and information regarding their housing application and with finding suitable accessible and/or adapted homes, contact the Lettings Client Support Team on 020 7364 0204 / 0206 / 0209.



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Permit Transfer Scheme: for residents moving to 3 bedroom or larger social rented car free homes

The Mayor of Tower Hamlets introduced the new Permit Transfer Scheme (PTS) to operate from 5 September 2011 to help to reduce the levels of overcrowding in social rented housing in the borough. The PTS helps some families move to larger social rented car free homes by allowing them to retain one on-street resident car parking permit, subject to the PTS criteria as outlined below being met. The PTS is a change in the operation of the Council's existing on-street Residents' Parking Permit Scheme.

CAR FREE HOMES No on-street residents' parking permits issued

The Council's 'car free homes' planning policy was introduced in Tower Hamlets in the late 1990s to help reduce traffic congestion and better manage the limited supply of on-street parking spaces. This initiative also helps to reduce the level of air pollution from motor vehicles and encourages more people to walk, cycle and go by public transport.

The Transport for London (TfL) Cycle Hire scheme (www.tfl.gov.uk/cycling) and local pay-as-you-go car clubs (www.carplus.org.uk) are also now available in Tower Hamlets to help you get around in healthier, greener ways.

If you live in a car free home, you will not be able to apply for on-street residents' car parking permits, unless you hold a disabled driver's blue badge or are eligible under the Permit Transfer

Scheme (PTS), which is targeted at social rented housing residents. The criteria for the PTS is as follows:

1. applies to residents moving to 3 bedroom or larger social rented car free homes;
2. only one on-street resident parking permit per household is permitted;
3. you must have held your on-street car parking permit for at least 1 year prior to moving home;
4. your on-street parking permit must be renewed and **not lapse to remain eligible** under the scheme;
5. the tenant is responsible for providing proof of PTS eligibility to Parking Services (including a duly signed and dated Tower Hamlets Homes or housing association approved tenancy agreement); and

6. the PTS was introduced on (and operates from) 5 September 2011 by Tower Hamlets Council and **is not retrospective**.

Residents in car free homes can apply for a temporary parking permit for visiting trades people for £5 a day. To qualify, written proof of the work to be carried out must be provided, along with the vehicle's details. Each home can apply for a maximum of 20 one-day-permits within a 6 month period.

Alternatively, scratchcards are available for trades people and visitors, providing parking for up to five hours on weekdays and all day on weekends. Households can apply for up to 3 books of 10 scratchcards per year. For permit charges and information, visit www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/parking



SHELTERED
Accessible Category E
REGENCY COURT, NORMAN GROVE, E3
Flat • 1 Bed 1 Person • 1st floor • Open plan kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted

Eligibility : Min Client Age 60

£170.92, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Gateway Housing Association

Property Ref: 30513



OVER 50's
Accessible Category F
JANET STREET, E14
Flat • 1 Bed 1 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets not permitted

Eligibility : Min Client Age 50

£146.16, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: One Housing Group

Property Ref: 30454



BEDSIT SELF-CONTAINED FLAT
Accessible Category F
EVERARD HOUSE, BOYD STREET, E1
Flat • 0 Bed 1 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£89.89, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30486



BEDSIT SELF-CONTAINED FLAT
Accessible Category E
DELAFIELD HOUSE, CHRISTIAN STREET, E1
Flat • 0 Bed 1 Person • 4th floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£92.80, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30487



BEDSIT SELF-CONTAINED FLAT
Accessible Category F
LE MOAL HOUSE, STEPNEY WAY, E1
Flat • 0 Bed 1 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets permitted

£101.08, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30507



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
LATHAM HOUSE, CHUDLEIGH STREET, E1
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 8th floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • Check heating on viewing • No garden • Pets permitted

£114.93, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30481



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
HUGHES MANSIONS, VALLANCE ROAD, E1
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 4th floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

Preference to Housing Moves applicants

£109.97, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30489



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
TARTAN HOUSE, DEE STREET, E14
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission

£117.13, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30478



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
ST LEONARDS ROAD, E14
Maisonette • 1 Bed 2 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • Balcony • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required

£119.93, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30457



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category C
RIDLEY HOUSE, CHRISP STREET, E14
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 1st floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£133.76, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30493



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
BUTLER HOUSE, BURDETT ROAD, E14
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 7th floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • Balcony • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission .One week advance rent required.

£123.62, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30505



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category G
STANLIFF HOUSE, CASSILIS ROAD, E14
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 1st floor • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted

£141.81, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: One Housing Group

Property Ref: 30509



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
ST PETERS CLOSE, E2
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Residents parking scheme • Pets not permitted

£126.71, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Community Housing

Property Ref: 30510



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
SUMNER HOUSE, WATTS GROVE, E3
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 3rd floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required

Eligibility : Band 3

£114.60, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30483



1 BEDROOM
Accessible Category F
WILCOX HOUSE, ACKROYD DRIVE, E3
Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission

£130.42, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30511



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
RING HOUSE, SAGE STREET, E1
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£114.63, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30458



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
HALLIDAY HOUSE, CHRISTIAN STREET, E1
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£119.20, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30492



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
WITHY HOUSE, GLOBE ROAD, E1
Maisonette • 2 Bed 4 Person • 5th floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted . Tenant participation expected - See TMO information

£126.20, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Withy House TMO

Property Ref: 30490



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category G
ALDERNEY ROAD, E1
Maisonette • 2 Bed 4 Person • Ground Floor • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Separate Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted

Eligibility : Band 3

£126.17, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Southern Housing Group

Property Ref: 30477



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
GOULDMAN HOUSE, WYLLEN CLOSE, E1
Maisonette • 2 Bed 4 Person • 3rd floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£120.66, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30451



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
HUGHES MANSIONS, VALLANCE ROAD, E1
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£122.76, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30456



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
STOCKHOLM HOUSE, SWEDENBORG GARDENS, E1
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 12th floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets with landlords permission

£132.90, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: EastendHomes

Property Ref: 30450



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
ELDER TREE COURT, CARTER SQUARE, E14
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 2nd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

Advert represents 2 properties
£151.45, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30499



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
ELDER TREE COURT, CARTER SQUARE, E14
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 3rd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

Advert represents 2 properties
£151.45, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30501



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
RIDLEY HOUSE, CHRISP STREET, E14
Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 1st floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£156.66, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30495



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
BESSIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 1st floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£135.18, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30474



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
BESSIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 2nd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£135.18, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30476



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
NELLIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 1st floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission .One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£135.18, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30462



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
NELLIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 2nd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission .One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£135.18, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30464



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
UAMVAR STREET, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 3rd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required.

£140.79, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30459



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
JOHNSON HOUSE, ROBERTA STREET, E2

Maisonette • 2 Bed 4 Person • 7th floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£119.45, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30453



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
GOLDMAN CLOSE, E2

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£141.28, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30455



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category E
CHARLES DICKENS HOUSE, MANSFORD STREET, E2

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • Electric storage heater • No garden • Residents parking scheme • Pets not permitted. Children must be aged 10 years or older. Heating included in charges .Concierge

£167.85, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Community Housing

Property Ref: 30519



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
BRIGGS HOUSE, CHAMBORD STREET, E2

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 5th floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£122.66, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30488



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
CANTERBURY HOUSE, BOW ROAD, E3

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required.

£130.44, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30485



2 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
SAMUEL LEWIS TRUST ESTATE, WARNER ROAD, SE5

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • Electric radiators • No garden • Pets not permitted . Property in London Borough of Southwark. One week advance rent required.

£122.92, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Southern Housing Group

Property Ref: 30484



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
DONEGAL HOUSE, CAMBRIDGE HEATH ROAD, E1

Maisonette • 3 Bed 5 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • Two lifts • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£130.70, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30521



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CARTER SQUARE, E14

Maisonette • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£158.54, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30496



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CARTER SQUARE, E14

Maisonette • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£158.54, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30497



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
RIDLEY HOUSE, CHRISP STREET, E14

Flat • 3 Bed 5 Person • 1st floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£168.54, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30494



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CAWDOR WALK, E14

House • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£144.00, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30467



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CAWDOR WALK, E14

House • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£144.00, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30468



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CAWDOR WALK, E14

House • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£144.00, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30469



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CAWDOR WALK, E14

House • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£144.00, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30470



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
GREAVES COTTAGES, MAROON STREET, E14

House • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets permitted

£155.78, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30479



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
ST HUBERTS HOUSE, JANET STREET, E14

Flat • 3 Bed 5 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted

£146.23, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Gateway Housing Association

Property Ref: 30518



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
PRESTONS ROAD, E14

House • 3 Bed 5 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets not permitted

£130.23, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Gateway Housing Association

Property Ref: 30517



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category G
PEABODY BUILDINGS BLOCK B, BRODLOVE LANE, E1W

Flat • 3 Bed 4 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets not permitted • Fixed Term. This is a fixed term tenancy of 5 years. One week advance rent required.

£141.90, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Peabody

Property Ref: 30504



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
LAWRENCE CLOSE, E3

Maisonette • 3 Bed 6 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets permitted

£150.66, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Tower Hamlets Council

Property Ref: 30516



3 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
BOW COMMON LANE, E3

Maisonette • 3 Bed 5 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • No garden • Permit parking • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required.

Eligibility : Band 3

£153.35, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30506



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
EAST INDIA DOCK ROAD, E14

Maisonette • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets not permitted • Fixed Term. This is a fixed term tenancy of 5 years.

£171.41, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Genesis Housing Association

Property Ref: 30520



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category F
BRION PLACE, E14

Maisonette • 4 Bed 6 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Balcony • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required

£168.31, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30512



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
BOWEN STREET, E14

House • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission .One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£164.13, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30503



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CARTER SQUARE, E14

Maisonette • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission .One week advance rent required. Water and heating metered. Electric cooking

£166.63, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30498



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CAWDOR WALK, E14

House • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£156.54, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30466



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category C
CAWDOR WALK, E14

House • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£156.54, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30471



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category G
TEVIOT STREET, E14

House • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C and Additional W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets permitted

£161.81, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: East Thames Group

Property Ref: 30522



4 BEDROOMS
Accessible Category G
TRENDOLL HOUSE, DOD STREET, E14

Maisonette • 4 Bed 6 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Separate Bathroom and W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets with landlords permission . One week advance rent required.

£168.61, Weekly - Social Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30508

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Please note the rent level and length of tenancy offered on the following homes.

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AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category C
BESSIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 2nd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission • Life Time. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£160.53, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30475



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category C
NELLIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 1st floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission • Life Time. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£160.53, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30463



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category C
NELLIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 2nd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission • Life Time. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£160.53, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30465



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category F
EDINBURGH CLOSE, E2

Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 2nd floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted • Life Time.

£183.75, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Gateway Housing Association

Property Ref: 30452



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category C
BELLISINA COURT, FAIRFIELD ROAD, E3

Flat • 2 Bed 4 Person • 2nd floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets not permitted • Fixed Term. This is a fixed term tenancy of 5 years.

£205.65, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Metropolitan Homes HA

Property Ref: 30491



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category F
ANTILL ROAD, E3

Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • Ground Floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • Private garden • Pets not permitted • Life Time.

£162.00, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Gateway Housing Association

Property Ref: 30514



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category F
JOSSILINE COURT, FORD ROAD, E3

Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • One lift • Entryphone • Wet room (walk in shower) • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted • Fixed Term. This is a fixed term tenancy of 5 years. No bath in property

Eligibility : Min Client Age 50

£174.26, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: OLD FORD HA

Property Ref: 30515



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category G
ZEALAND ROAD, E3

Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • 1st floor • Separate kitchen • No Lift • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Pets not permitted • Fixed Term. This is a fixed term tenancy of 5 years.

£159.23, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Circle 33 HA

Property Ref: 30480



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category C
BESSIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 1 Bed 2 Person • Ground Floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • Private garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission • Life Time. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£151.30, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30472



AFFORDABLE RENT
Accessible Category C
BESSIE HOUSE, CAWDOR WALK, E14

Flat • 2 Bed 3 Person • 1st floor • New build • Open plan kitchen • No Lift • Entryphone • Bathroom with W/C • GCH • No garden • Car free home • Pets with landlords permission • Life Time. One week advance rent required. Water metered. Electric cooking.

£160.53, Weekly - Affordable Rent
Landlord: Poplar HARCA

Property Ref: 30473

TMO's

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- collecting rent and managing arrears
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Successful candidates will be required to abide by the school's Safeguarding Children policy and undergo an enhanced DBS check.

CVs are not accepted - for full details and application form please see the school website

www.morpethschool.org.uk or if necessary email einglis@morpeth.towerhamlets.sch.uk or ring 020 8981 0921.



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London Borough of Tower Hamlets

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Successful candidates must abide by our Safeguarding Children policy and undergo an enhanced DBS check.

Closing date: Noon on Friday 5th September
with interviews the following week with a view to a late September/early October start.

CVs are not accepted - for full details and application form please see the school website www.morpethschool.org.uk or email einglis@morpeth.towerhamlets.sch.uk or ring 020 8981 0921.

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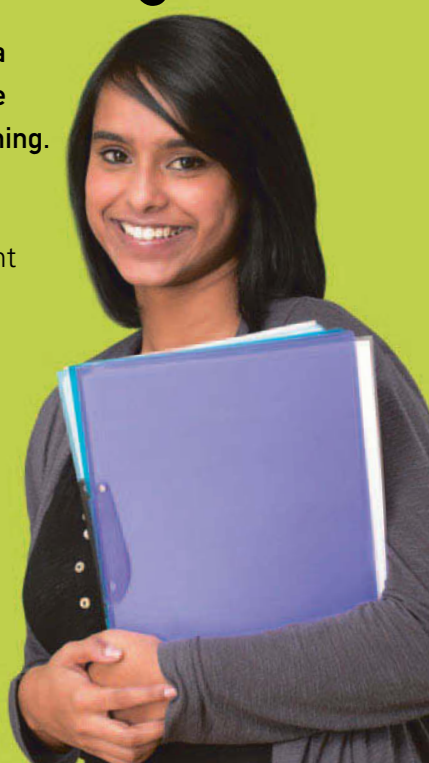
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LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS

PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS AND CONSERVATION AREAS) ACT 1990, SECTIONS 10, 67 AND 73

APPLICATIONS FOR LISTED BUILDING CONSENT AND APPLICATIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT WHICH WOULD IN THE OPINION OF THE LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITY AFFECT THE CHARACTER OR APPEARANCE OF AN AREA DESIGNATED AS A CONSERVATION AREA OR WOULD AFFECT THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS IS CONSIDERING THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS:

32 - 82 Fairfoot Road, London, E3 4EH **PA/14/1955/BMC**
Replacement of existing rear window and door configurations with new white PVC-U patio doors.

585-593 Commercial Road, London, E1 0HJ **PA/14/2197/JTH**
Application for variation of condition no. 1 (Extension of temporary use) of planning permission dated 13/12/2011, ref: PA/11/02702.

Flats 76- 79, Fondant Court, 2 Taylor Place, London, E3 2PJ **PA/14/1817/BMC**
Alteration of the 4 x 3 bedroom apartments on the 15th and 16th floors approved under Planning Permission PA/04/00350 to provide two x two bedroom and two x three bedroom units.

93 Ashfield Street, London, E1 2HA **PA/14/2186/MCH**
Repair external frame of top floor front elevation window to match existing. Paint and decorate front and rear elevation windows - Colour black.

26 Hanbury Street, London, E1 6QR **PA/14/2148&2149/ADW**
Internal and external alterations at the rear of the Grade II listed building including the replacement of existing external timber door to the courtyard with a new glazed timber door, together with the removal of the brick infill and installation of a new external timber door and threshold to the store room, and the removal of non-original internal stud wall and door and installation of infill wall to the door opening.

Flat 54, Gun Place, 86 Wapping Lane, London, E1W 2RX **PA/14/2034/MCH**
Internal alterations to flat within listed building

389 Mile End Road, London, E3 4QS **PA/14/2038/JTH**
Installation of new external seating area comprising of 4 Outdoor Starbucks Wind Barrier's, 2 Outdoor Tables and 8 Outdoor Chairs.

101 & 103 Sclater Street, London, E1 6HR **PA/14/1993/KHA**
Replacement of existing windows on front elevation of building

Suttons Wharf South 44 Palmers Road, London, E2 0TA **PA/14/2132/PLA**
Removal of lift and infill with matching retaining wall/terrace. Installation of dropped kerb.

Carriageway, West India Quay, Hertsmere Road, London **PA/14/1075/KFL**
Highway improvements to existing road layout of Hertsmere Road including introducing new pedestrian crossings, improving vehicle speeds, improving the signage, improving the street furniture and carrying out general repairs to the carriageway.

1 Cornwall Avenue, London, E2 0HW **PA/14/2029/SHA**
New mezzanine shower room above existing staircase.

Block C, Trumans Brewery, 91 Brick Lane, London E1 **PA/14/2147/BEE**
Demolition of existing 2 storey element to the north part of the development site and existing second floor bridge links across Former Wilkes Street, extension to existing basement, change of use of upper floors of existing building from B2 (general industry) to a mixed development of B8 (data centre) and B1 (offices) including new 7 storey extension to existing building, external facade alterations and the addition of two new upper floors to Block C and the erection of a new second floor bridge link to Block B across Former Wilkes Street to provide office space and walkway
Application for variation of condition no. 2 (Approved Plans) of planning permission dated 24/10/2013, ref: PA/12/02294. Amendments include:
Increase in the basement floor area (44sqm approx)
Increase in the footprint of block C (additional 27sqm approx)
Internal alterations to approved floor plans
Addition of two storey glazed entrance to former Wilkes Street

Bonner Primary School, Hartley Street, London, E2 0NA **PA/14/2167/PLA**
Re-Cladding of existing Drama Cabins

Mews to the rear of 811 Commercial Road, London, E14 7HG **PA/14/2061/KFL**
Change of use to single family dwelling house.

422 Roman Road, London, E3 5LU **PA/14/2099/GMA**
Retrospective application for the change of use from A1 (Retail) to A2 (Professional services)

67 Redchurch Street, London, E2 7DJ **PA/14/2064/KHA**
Change of use of ground floor from residential (Use Class C3) to retail (Use Class A1).

30 - 36 Turner Street, London, E1 2AS **PA/14/1823/MCH**
Proposed roof extension to an existing 1930/40s commercial and residential building within the Myrdle Street Conservation Area , to provide a single residential unit. (Address corrected)

69 Bow Road, London, E3 2AN **PA/14/2176/GMA**
Lower ground extension / conversion with glazed roof

585-593 Commercial Road, London, E1 0HJ **PA/14/2268/KH**
Complete felling and removal of trees/shrubs on site consisting of 5 Birch trees and 4 Ash trees.

585-593 Commercial Road, London, E1 0HJ **PA/14/1931/KH**
Erection of single storey modular portacabins for a temporary period (until 22 November 2016) together with a new canopy over walkway; alterations to the existing building and the creation of a new entrance gate off Belgrave Street; creation of metal louvre panels on the Belgrave Street elevation; alterations to the existing entrance gate and parking areas together with the erection of a security fence around the car pound; creation of a security gate to the west of the site and associated internal and external works within the site.

The following are householder applications and in the event of an appeal against a refusal of planning permission, which is to be dealt with on the basis of representations in writing, any representations made about these applications will be sent to the secretary of state, and there will be no further opportunity to comment at appeal stage.

142 Narrow Street, London, E14 8BP **PA/14/2161&2162/KFL**
Demolish centrally located portion of existing roof and build flat roof to full width of building to create third floor level extension. Proposal includes roof terrace above the third floor extension.

24 Ellesmere Road, London, E3 5QX **PA/14/2087/JTH**
Excavation of lower ground floor to form bedroom and shower in the basement, removal of front boundary wall and installation of metal railings and gate and new access stairs to lower ground floor level.

208 Jubilee Street, London, E1 3BP **PA/14/2130/KHA**
New extension to the rear of the property to enlarge the kitchen, living spaces and provide more suitable bathroom provision. Alterations to the ground and lower ground floor layouts. New metal grill to replace failing pavement lights over pavement vault.

44 Antill Road, London, E3 5BP **PA/14/2095/JTH**
Demolition and replacement of two-storey and single-storey rear extensions and installation of a new side infill extension.

Copies of the applications and plans may be inspected between the hours of 9am-5pm, Monday to Friday at the Planning Department, Mulberry Place, Clove Crescent, London, E14 2BG. The information will also be available on the Council's web site at www.towerhamlets.gov.uk. If you respond by email, please tell us your postal address.

Any person who wishes to make representations relating to any of these applications should do so, in writing, within a period of 21 days from the date of publication of this notice to the Development Control Manager at the above address.

Dated: 25th August 2014

OWEN WHALLEY
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THE LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14 (1)

TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC AND TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF LEFT & RIGHT TURNS – PLUMBERS ROW E1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets made an Order, which will prohibit vehicular traffic from entering, stopping or proceeding in the length of carriageway in Plumber Row (in the southbound direction only) between its junction Whitechapel Road and its junction with Fieldgate Street.

Vehicles will also be banned from turning right or left into Plumbers Row from its junction with Whitechapel Road.

The restrictions on vehicular traffic will enable essential gas works to be carried out on the public highway by National Grid Gas (tRIO).

The alternative route for vehicular

traffic will be via Whitechapel Road, New Road and Fieldgate Street.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will operate from Monday 1st September 2014 to Saturday 20th September 2014 and at times when temporary traffic signs are placed on the public highway pursuant to The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

Please refer any queries regarding the above traffic restriction to Mick Jameson, Network Coordinator, Transport and Highways on 020 7364 6717 or email mick.jameson@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Dated: 25th August 2014

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TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC – DITCHBURN STREET E14

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Council of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets proposes to make an Order, which will prohibit vehicular traffic from entering, stopping or proceeding in the entire length of carriageway in Ditchburn Street to the westernmost-end of Ditchburn Street from its junction with Prestage Way.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will enable essential works to be carried out on the public highway by Swan Housing Association.

There are no alternative routes for vehicular traffic as it is a cul-de-sac or dead end street.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will operate from Monday 15th September 2014 to Monday 5th January 2015 and at times when temporary traffic signs are placed on the public highway pursuant to The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

Please refer any queries regarding the above traffic restriction to John Parsons, Network Coordinator, Transport and Highways on 020 7364 6680 or email, john.parsons@towerhamlets.gov.uk

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TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC – OLD CASTLE STREET E1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Council of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets, having consulted with Transport for London, made an Order, which will prohibit vehicular traffic from entering, stopping or proceeding in the length of carriageway in Old Castle Street between its junction with Pomell Way and its junction with Wentworth Street.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will enable essential works to be carried out on the public highway by Nationwide Traffic Solution Limited.

The alternative route for vehicular traffic will be via Pomell Way, Commercial Street and Wentworth Street and vice versa.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will operate for two weekends on the following dates and at times when temporary traffic signs and cones are placed on the public highway pursuant to The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002:

- Saturday 6th September 2014 from 08:00 hours until 18:00 hours;
- Saturday 20th September 2014 from 08:00 hours until 18:00 hours.

Please refer any queries regarding the above traffic restriction to Charlie Harrison, Network Coordinator, Transport and Highways on 020 7364 6671 or email, charlie.harrison@towerhamlets.gov.uk

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14 (1)

TEMPORARY PROHIBITION

OF TRAFFIC – CHAMBER STREET E1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Council of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets proposes to make an Order, which will prohibit vehicular traffic from entering, stopping or proceeding into the length of carriageway in Chamber Street from its junction with Leman Street.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will enable the essential works to be carried out on the public highway by AFL Global on behalf of Vodafone.

The alternative route for vehicular traffic will be via Prescott Street, Mansell Street and Chamber Street or Chamber Street, Mansell Street, Royal Mint Street and Leman Street.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will operate on the following two weekends:

- a) On Saturday 13th September 2014 and Sunday 14th September 2014 from 08:00 hours until 18:00 hours each day;
- b) On Saturday 20th September 2014 and Sunday 21st September 2014 from 08:00 hours until 18:00 hours each day.

This is when temporary traffic signs are placed on the public highway pursuant to The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

Please refer any queries regarding the above traffic restriction to Mick Jameson, Network Coordinator, Network Management Team, Transport and Highways on 020 7364 6717 or email, mick.jameson@towerhamlets.gov.uk

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TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC – LAWN HOUSE CLOSE E14

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Council of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets, made an Order, which will prohibit vehicular traffic from entering, stopping or proceeding in the length of carriageway in Lawn House Close from its junction with the northernmost-end of Lawn House Close to a point approximately 20 metres south of that junction.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will enable essential works to be carried out on the public highway by Mount Anvil.

There is no alternative routes vehicular traffic as it is a dead end street or cul-de-sac.

Local access into the car park entrance and car park exit in Lawn House Close will be maintained.

The restriction on vehicular traffic will operate from Tuesday 26th August 2014 to Wednesday 26th August 2015 and at times when temporary traffic signs are placed on the public highway pursuant to the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

Please refer any queries regarding the above traffic restriction to John Parsons, Network Coordinator, Transport and Highways on 020 7364 6680 or email, john.parsons@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Dated: 25th August 2014

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LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS

THE TOWER HAMLETS (PRESCRIBED ROUTE) (NO1) TRAFFIC ORDER 2014

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets proposes to make the above mentioned Order under section 6 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Road Traffic Act 1991.

2. The general effect of The Tower Hamlets (Prescribed Route) (No.1) Order 2014 will be to amend the existing point closure in Lichfield Road, situated adjacent to the eastern kerb line of Grove Road so that it provides access for pedal cycles only between Lichfield Road and Grove Road.

3. A copy of the proposed Order can be inspected by appointment at the offices of Communities, Localities and Culture, Transport and Highways Section, Mulberry Place PO Box 55739 London E14 2BG, during normal office hours on Monday to Fridays inclusive until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this notice is published.

4. Any person desiring to make representations, objections or comment on the proposed Order, should send a statement in writing of their objection and the grounds thereof, to the above address within the aforementioned period of 21 days.

Dated: 25th August 2014

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LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS

TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

MAJOR APPLICATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 13(4)) OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) ORDER 2010 AND OTHER SIGNIFICANT APPLICATIONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS IS CONSIDERING THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS:

Block C, Trumans Brewery, 91 Brick Lane, London E1 PA/14/2147/BEE

Demolition of existing 2 storey element to the north part of the development site and existing second floor bridge links across Former Wilkes Street, extension to existing basement, change of use of upper floors of existing building from B2 (general industry) to a mixed development of B8 (data centre) and B1 (offices) including new 7 storey extension to existing building, external facade alterations and the addition of two new upper floors to Block C and the erection of a new second floor bridge link to Block B across Former Wilkes Street to provide office space and walkway

Application for variation of condition no. 2 (Approved Plans) of planning permission dated 24/10/2013, ref: PA/12/02294. Amendments include:

- Increase in the basement floor area (44sqm approx)
- Increase in the footprint of block C (additional 27sqm approx)
- Internal alterations to approved floor plans
- Addition of two storey glazed entrance to former Wilkes Street

Copies of the applications and plans may be inspected between the hours of 9am-1pm, Monday to Friday at the Planning Department, Mulberry Place, Clove Crescent, London, E14 2BG. The information will also be available on the Council's web site at www.towerhamlets.gov.uk. If you respond by email, please tell us your postal address.

Any person who wishes to make representations relating to any of these applications should do so, in writing, within a period of 21 days from the date of publication of this notice to the Development Control Manager at the above address.

Dated 25th August 2014

**OWEN WHALLEY
HEAD OF PLANNING & BUILDING CONTROL**



Emerging South Quay Masterplan Supplementary Planning Document Public Drop-In Sessions

The Council is preparing a South Quay Masterplan Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) to guide and manage development pressure in South Quay to 2025 and beyond.

Once adopted, the masterplan will be a material consideration in the determination of planning applications and aims to provide greater certainty for how the area will change for the local community, developers and other key stakeholders.

The Council would like to engage with the local community and other interested parties during the production of the masterplan before the six-week formal consultation commences in late 2014. Two informal drop-in sessions are being held to enable people to share their views, influence proposals and meet with planners to understand why a masterplan is needed.

The two informal drop-in sessions are taking place at Jack Dash House, 2 Lawn House Close, E14 9YQ at the following times and dates:

17:00 - 20:00, Thursday 28th August 2014

17:00 - 20:00, Wednesday 3rd September 2014

Comments or queries in person at the drop-ins or by email and telephone are welcome during the development of the emerging Masterplan and will be taken into consideration in addition to responses submitted during the formal public consultation in late 2014.

E-mail: LDF@towerhamlets.gov.uk

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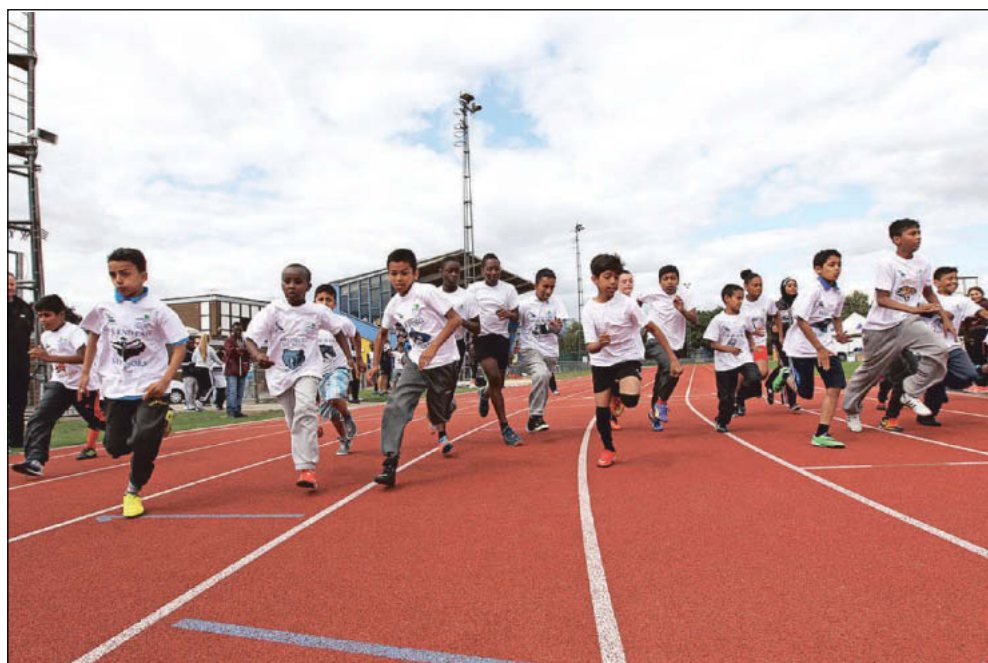


Youth Games milestone

One million participants have competed in the London Youth Games. Alumni include Christine Ohuruogu (left) and Mo Farah.

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Sport



THE sixth annual Tower Hamlets Summer Neighbourhood Games were held at Mile End Stadium last week, with the Locksley Leopards emerging as victors for the second time in the event's history. Hundreds of youngsters from mini-clubs across the borough competed in sports including football, rugby, cricket, badminton, fencing, athletics, tennis and BMX. The Games is one of two annual events for seven- to 11-year-olds who take part in the Tower Hamlets Youth Sport Foundation's Stepping Stones programme. Pictured is the start of the 800 metres race. For a full report and more photos, see next week's East End Life.

LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED)

TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2011 - REGULATION 22

NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 8 OF APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION ACCOMPANIED BY AN ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AT:

Arrowhead Quay East Of 163 Marsh Wall,
Marsh Wall, London, E14

PA/12/3315

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT:

Erection of two buildings of 55 and 50 storeys to provide 792 residential units (Use Class C3) and ancillary uses, plus 701 sqm. ground floor retail uses (Use Classes A1 -A4), provision of ancillary amenity space, landscaping, public dockside walkway and pedestrian route, basement parking, servicing and a new vehicular access.

I give notice that GVA Grimley on behalf of Arrowhead Commercial Ltd. has submitted further information supplementing the Environmental Statement in relation to the above application, to the London Borough of Tower Hamlets.

The Environmental Statement and the supplementary information are available for viewing by members of the public at all reasonable hours at the Council offices stated below and on the Council's web site at www.towerhamlets.gov.uk. Copies of the supplementary information may be obtained at a charge from GVA Grimley, 10 Stratton Street, London, W1J 8JR, tel. 0870 900 8990.

Any person who wishes to make representations regarding the application and the additional information should write to the Tower Hamlets Planning Service at Development & Renewal, Town Planning, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London E14 2BG within 21 days beginning with the date of this notice.

Dated: 25th August 2014

OWEN WHALLEY
HEAD OF DEVELOPMENT DECISIONS



Cup runs cut short

BY PETER FAULKNER

THE party is over for Tower Hamlets Football Club and Sporting Bengal – and so is the chance of a £1,500 cash boost.

The two clubs both faced seaside opposition in the FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round at Mile End Stadium.

First in action on Saturday, August 15 were Sporting Bengal who hoped to avenge a defeat they suffered at the hands of Clacton in the same round of the competition last season.

Sadly it was the same sorry story as the Essex side won 2-1 and picked up the £1,500 prize money.

Bengal, who share Mile End Stadium with Tower Hamlets, went a goal up after a minute thanks to Prince Pippin.

In the 29th minute, Clacton were back in the game when Aaron Condon scored a penalty.

Two minutes from time, Condon scored again to crush Bengal's cup dream.

It was a similar story for Tower Hamlets when they faced Felixstowe & Walton on Sunday, August 16.

The Seaside staged a smash-and-grab raid in the 60th minute of this extra preliminary round tie.

It came via the head of striker Ben Cranfield, who guided the ball past goalkeeper Riccardo Mazzon from 12 yards.

Overall the game was scrappy, but the victory avenged a heavy defeat that the Eastern Counties side suffered against the east Londoners in the FA Vase three seasons ago.

It was a game of limited chances and manager Ajibola Olatunbosun will be a little disappointed his side failed to make more of their home draw.

Hockey

Play hockey for free

EAST London Hockey Club start youth sessions on Sunday, August 31 and are offering participants free sessions.

Youth Hockey, for under-16s, will take place on Sunday mornings, 10-11.30am, on the AstroTurf grounds at Mile End Stadium in Burdett Road.

There will be weekly sessions every Sunday morning for children and teenagers.

The Club have teamed up with Freesport, a charity designed to help get young people playing sport.

The club is now able to offer ten free sessions to beginners. Normally, training sessions are £1.50 per session. A parent or guardian must accompany children on their first session and participants are being encouraged to turn up 15 minutes early to register.

For more details, email development officer Dan Collis at youth@elhockey.co.uk

The club will be competing in youth competitions throughout the season until next April and there is an opportunity for those aged 13 and over to play with the development squad.



Top of the class

University of East London student Bianca Williams finished in fourth place in the 200 metres at the European Championships. Williams took silver and a bronze at the Commonwealth Games

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Sport

Paralympics stars return to Stratford

Paralympics

TWO years ago the nation sat mesmerized as disabled athletes gave us a new and unprecedented insight into the lives of Paralympians.

The Paralympic Games at Stratford's Olympic Park opened our eyes to a parallel world of sport on a spectacular scale – showing a worldwide audience of millions that disability did not mean the inability to perform.

Never before has the Paralympic Games had such a platform and it has now made the event one of the most popular in the sporting calendar.

On Saturday, August 30, you can re-live it all again when international swimmers will once again compete in the London Aquatics Centre in the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park.

Building on the success of last year's inaugural event, a day of celebrations is taking place across the country, including a free family festival in the Park, showcasing the best in disability sports and arts.

Exactly two years to the day since Great Britain won its first medals at the London 2012 Paralympic Games, sporting superstars, including ten Paralympics GB medallists from London 2012, will return to the water for two thrilling sessions of racing.

Also set to excite spectators will



Swimmer Ellie Simmonds won two golds in 2012

be the stars of boccia, goalball and wheelchair basketball.

Top athletes from these three Paralympic sports will be in action at the Copper Box Arena, the venue of last year's event which saw 6,000 supporters cheer on British and international athletes.

Plenty of free, family-friendly activities and entertainment will also be taking place across the Park, including the chance to try out different disability and inclusive sports such as wheelchair basketball, inclusive cycling, tennis and boccia.

Representatives from community groups and east London-based disability sports project Motivate East with information on how to take up sports or get involved in the area.

There will be the chance to meet some of the stars of London 2012, including Ellie Simmonds.

Gemili's silver lining turns into double gold

BY PETER FAULKNER

WATCH out Usain Bolt, Asafa Powell and Tyson Gay, there's a new kid on the block and he's after your sprint crowns.

University of East London student Adam Gemili took the athletics world by storm when he won the European title in Zurich.

And the manner of Gemili's victory over the reigning champion, the Frenchman Christophe Lemaitre, earmarks him for greatness.

Gemili, whose fellow UEL sports student Bianca Williams also rose to the occasion, destroyed the top-class field, becoming Great Britain's 100th European gold medallist.

In the process he also equalled his personal best time of 19.98s, came close to breaking John Regis's British record of 19.97s and became the fastest 200m sprinter in Europe this year.

The sprint star won a 100m silver medal at the Commonwealth Games in Glasgow two weeks earlier, where he also won a second gold after leading the 4x100m relay team to victory.

"Now I get to stand on top of the podium and listen to the national anthem," he beamed.

"That is something I only



Adam Gemili tweeted this photograph with his gold medals

imagine would happen playing football for England."

Two years ago Gemili was playing football for Thurrock so his rise to the top of athletics in such a short time has been quite remarkable.

He is now a new golden boy

and his aim will be a world title next year and an Olympic title in Rio in 2016.

In Switzerland, after sprinting across the line, his face suggested he couldn't believe he had struck gold.

If Gemili is destined for big

things, then so is fellow student Bianca Williams. After taking home a silver and bronze from Glasgow, Williams knew the European Championships would be a much tougher proposition.

In the semi-final she left it late to steal second place and qualify automatically for the final – and knew she would have a tougher time in the final.

But this 20-year-old is an undoubted star of the future and will improve vastly by the time Rio comes round.

In the final she was in the dreaded lane 8 and, like the semi, she had to stage a late surge to earn a creditable fourth place.

The title was won by the pre-race favourite Dafne Schippers, of the Netherlands, who also took the 100m crown.

Behind her was second favourite Myriam Soumare with Britain's other golden girl, Jodie Williams, getting silver.

"I was still tired from the previous races, but if you had told me I would get silver and bronze in Glasgow and a fourth place here – I would have been happy," she said.

"I am pleased with fourth place and would have settled for that before the start.

"I always knew it would be difficult starting from lane 8, but I have no complaints."

Free basketball coaching sessions for youngsters

Basketball

LONDON Lions Basketball Sports Foundation have launched free basketball coaching sessions on four outdoor courts across east London.

The sessions began on August 16 on the Isle of Dogs and will run until Thursday, August 29.

Lions coaches and players ran roadshows to kickstart the

programme, followed by free coaching sessions.

As part of the partnership, all those who attend coaching sessions will also receive free tickets for the London Lions' first game of the season at the Copper Box Arena on Saturday, September 6 against Euro League team, PGE Turów, champions of Poland.

The winners of the three-on-three tournament at

the end of the programme will get the chance to play in front of up to 7,000 Lions fans during half-time at this game.

Free sessions are being held at a number venues.

On Tuesday, August 27, action takes place at St John's Park Sports Cage on Manchester Road, Isle of Dogs, from 5-6.30pm for boys aged 13-19 and 6.30-8pm for girls aged 13-19.

Also on Tuesday, a session runs at Adizone, Conservancy Road, E9 from 10am-11.30am for boys aged 7-12; 11.30am-1pm for boys aged 13-19; 1-2.30pm for girls aged 7-12; and 2.30-4pm for girls between 13 and 19.

On Wednesday, August 28, the venue is Alma Street Community Play Area, Alma Street, E15 from 10-11.30am for boys aged 7-12; 11.30am-1pm for boys aged 13-19; 1-2.30pm for girls aged 7-

12; and 2.30-4pm for girls aged 13-19.

Barkantine Sports Cage, on Westferry Road, Isle of Dogs, hosts sessions on Thursday, August 29. Games run from 3-4.30pm for boys aged 13-19 and 4.30-6pm for girls.

■ **GREAT Britain captain Drew Sullivan has joined the Lions after three successful seasons with the Leicester Riders.**

The Londoner was the most

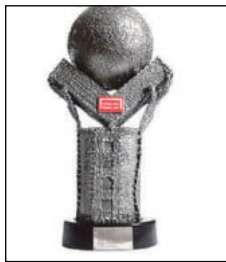
valuable player of the British Basketball League in 2013 when he led the Riders to three of the four trophies available during the year – the BBL championship, the BBL Cup and the BBL Play-off Championship.

His averages of 15 points, eight rebounds and four assists saw him claim his second MVP title, having won it in 2005-6.



Double gold
Athletics triumph for the University of East London's Adam Gemili.

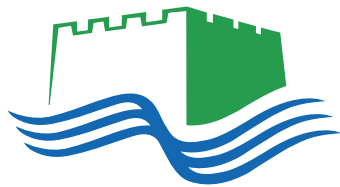
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A history of another world cup

The Homeless World Cup was founded by Mel Young from Scotland and Harald Schmied from Austria, in Cape Town in 2001. Two years later the first tournament took place in Graz, Austria.

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TOWER HAMLETS

NEWS FROM TOWER HAMLETS COUNCIL AND YOUR COMMUNITY

Jaymaine takes on the world



Jaymaine plays for Whitechapel Genesis

BY PETER FAULKNER

JAYMAINE Coker has climbed from the depths of being homeless and sleeping rough on the streets to claim a place in a football world cup tournament.

Coker is following in the footsteps of Steven Gerrard and Wayne Rooney by going to South America for the world cup in October.

Like the England team, more than 100,000 fans are expected to watch him in action at the Plaza de Armas in Santiago, Chile.

And just like the real World Cup in Brazil, the reigning champions will start as favourites.

But this is not the usual world soccer tournament, this is the 12th annual Homeless World Cup.

Jaymaine, 25, from Brick Lane, has been chosen to represent England in the tournament which could help him achieve a dream – and erase the memory of being on the streets.

He said: "I was homeless last year for a few months. In the first two weeks I had to sleep rough."

"Then I met someone from the Pillion Trust and they got me into a shelter, before being introduced to the Ambassadors Football Project.

"Now I have a home in Brick Lane, my life has turned around."

Jaymaine, who works as cargo crew at Heathrow Airport, was invited for trials with Chelsea four or five years ago, but admits: "I didn't take it seriously and now regret missing out on a great opportunity.

"I won't make that mistake again and I hope this world stage will lead me to the big time."

He was chosen for the team after a trial staged by Arsenal.

He usually plays as either centre midfield or on the wing for Whitechapel Genesis, which is run by charity Ambassadors Football GB with Tower Hamlets organisations The Good Shepherd Mission, Booth House and Whitechapel Mission.

The project has been

running for five years and was set up to help men who are unemployed or homeless.

Football is used to engage individuals and maximise ways it can help people on a physical, social and emotional level.

The team trains weekly at Whitechapel Sports Centre, enters football tournaments, goes on trips away, runs coaching courses and promotes different opportunities for participants to apply.

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